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Washington — (7) — The Roosevelt administration took a beating today in its first legislative test of the new congress when a rebellious house refused to approve the \$875,000,000 President Roosevelt requested to keep WPA operating until June 30.

Washington — (7) — Representative Boland (D-Pa.) said today the house Democratic organization would "make no concerted effort" to obtain restoration of the \$150,000,000 pared from the administration's relief bill by the house appropriations committee.

Boland, the party's whip, made the announcement just before the house resumed debate on the controversial measure.

He and his 16 assistant whips had met for more than an hour with Speaker Bankhead, Democratic Leader Rayburn, and Representative McCormack (D-Mass.), chairman of the Democratic caucus.

Asked about the meeting afterward in connection with its bearing on relief, Rayburn remarked merely,

"We are going to pass a relief bill today."

Representative Woodrum (D-Va.), in charge of the controversial measure, took the floor today just before the bill was opened to amendment and said he wanted to "brush away some of the cobwebs" that were spun during debate.

The first, he said, is the idea that a Democrat is taking a rap at the president every time he does not vote for "every penny" recommended for appropriation by the budget-bureau.

"That is childish and ridiculous," he asserted.

G.O.P. Debate Ended

Earlier, Representative Dirksen (R-Ill.) had ended the Republican portion of the debate by urging the house to give the country some assurance it would end "the alleged and proven rottenness in WPA."

The appropriation, he said, should be sufficient to last only until congress can investigate the relief agency and take corrective steps.

Against New Cuts

Privately, administration leaders admitted there was little chance of persuading the house to put back the \$150,000,000 but that every attempt would be made to forestall any additional reduction.

Boland said the whips themselves had "different views" on the relief issue and would "use their individual judgment" on supporting an amendment to raise the sum for EPA from \$725,000,000, the amount recommended by the appropriations committee, to the \$875,000,000 requested by President Roosevelt.

Representative Keefe (R-Wis.) told the house Wisconsin voters repudiated the LaFollette dynasty in the general election because they were "tired of cheap politics, tired of rabble rousing, tired of government interference in business, tired of government regimentation of agriculture."

The Wisconsin voters said "we are tired of political talk of surpluses of milk, wheat and food when men, women and babies are reported hungry." Keefe said, "He added the voters were sure, 'we were going somewhere' but not in the right direction."

## Education Under Pressure

Razing the old Lincoln school building in Wichita, Kas., workmen found a bundle of thirty-five switches hidden under a stairway that had been walled in some thirty years ago. Miss Kenyon, principal, enlightened them with the information they were relics of the days when "kickin' and larnin' went hand in hand. It seems the children back in those days got it both coming and going. The home motto was "spare the rod and spoil the child" and the teachers applied the same rule to education. If they were right, it's a wonder we moderns don't lean slightly toward the moronic. Using window cards to rent rooms is out-moded as using the switch to maintain discipline. Post-Crescent West Ads are up-to-date, quick and economical. Phone the ad take today and rent your vacant rooms pronto!"

CLARK ST., N. 508 — New modern 4 room upper apartment. Garage, \$31 with heat furnished. Telephone 4563.

Scheduled ad for 8 insertions. Received results first night ad appeared and cancelled ad.

## CUMMINGS AND MURPHY AT DINNER



In smiling good humor, Homer Cummings (left), retiring attorney general of the United States, and Frank Murphy, (right), his successor in Washington enjoy a farewell dinner to Cummings. The testimonial banquet was given by friends of Cummings.

## Two Convicts Wounded as Five Try to Escape From Alcatraz During Fog; All Are Recaptured

### Board Asks Ban On Discharges by Unfair Employer

#### Wants Supreme Court to Rule Sitdowner Can't Be Fired

Washington — (7) — The national labor relations board urged the supreme court today to rule that sit-down strikers cannot be discharged by a company which has been guilty of an "unfair labor practice."

"Such a decision was sought by Charles Fahy, general counsel of the board. He continued an argument begun yesterday in connection with an order directing the Fansteel Metallurgical Corporation of North Chicago to re-employ workers who seized two key buildings in 1937 and held them for nine days.

Fahy told the court today that an employer could dismiss an employee for participation in a sitdown strike, if the workman were first reinstated to his position.

His statement based on the commission of an "unfair labor practice" by the employer, was made in response to a volley of questions from members of the court.

Fansteel Argument

Max Swire, Fansteel attorney, argued the board had exceeded its authority in seeking to compel the re-employment of men "admittedly discharged" because of participation in the sitdown.

After Swire's argument, the court took the case under advisement. A final decision is expected in a few weeks.

Fahy contended that a workman "no matter how guilty" continued as an employee if his employer has committed an unfair labor practice.

The board, he said, would require his reinstatement if that would "effectuate the purposes" of the national labor relations act.

Justice Stone asked if a man restored to his position could then be discharged for participation in the strike.

"They could be," Fahy replied, "if they were discharged after reinstatement."

"How long would the employer have to keep them—one day?" Stone asked.

"There would be no question of time," Fahy said.

Court Hears Pleas  
Of Two Convicted  
In Securities Case

Madison — (7) — The supreme court today heard the appeals of W. A. Kenyon and Leon B. Smith, Milwaukee, convicted of selling unregistered securities.

Kenyon was sentenced to four concurrent terms of one to three years each, and Smith, two concurrent terms of one year each by Circuit Judge A. C. Hoppmann of Dane county.

The state today claimed they sold debenture notes of Tung Industries Inc., which included an offer of option to sell non-assessable common stock in the firm requiring registration with the state banking commission. Counsel for the two men contended the stock provision was merely a conversion privilege upon which salesmen made no solicitation and needed no registration because the notes matured in less than a year.

Lyman Wheeler and Herbert C. Hirschbeck, Milwaukee, counsel for the defendants, asserted the conversion clause did not affect the legality of the notes or "constitute registration, and that it was not an offer to sell stock."

They argued Kenyon and Smith were guilty of no criminal intent and that the sentence of the circuit court was unreasonable.

San Francisco — (7) — Five desperate prisoners attempted to escape from fog-shrouded Alcatraz Island prison early today and two were shot and wounded before guards captured the quintet.

The prisoners, all serving long terms, got out of the cell building in some unexplained manner at 4 o'clock a.m.

The thickest fog in years obscured the island prison in San Francisco bay.

Making a mad dash for the water, the convicts refused to halt at command of guards, who opened fire.

Arthur Barker, serving life for kidnapping, was shot through the head and leg and critically wounded.

Dale Stampfill, also under life for kidnapping, was shot through both legs.

The other prisoners, thwarted in their daring attempt to get off the island, were: Rufus McCain, serving 99 years for national bank robbery and kidnapping; Henri Young, 20 years for robbing a bank, and William Martin, a Negro, under sentence for 25 years for armed robbery of a post office.

A few minutes after the men were discovered missing, the coast guard was notified and patrol boats were ordered to the island. Before the vessels could throw a cordon around the island, however, they were ordered back when the prisoners were captured.

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Warned Strikers,  
Murphy Asserts

Declares He Told Them  
'Sitdown Strike Was  
Illegal'

Washington — (7) — Attorney General Frank Murphy told a senate committee today he had warned union representatives in Michigan that "the sitdown strike was illegal and... would alienate public opinion."

Murphy, testifying on his handling as governor of sitdown strikes in 1937, said that form of strike "is an instrumentality that would undermine and destroy the vital right of ownership and possession of property."

The judiciary subcommittee before which Murphy spoke already has approved Murphy's nomination for attorney general, but he asked permission to testify regarding his activities during the sitdown strike.

"I have never condoned the sitdown strike or countenanced the disobedience of a court order," Murphy said. "I believe in vigorous law enforcement."

"However, when there is widespread disobedience to the law, it is not enough to enforce the law; it is also necessary to discover and eliminate the causes of the widespread disobedience."

"So the Michigan labor situation with which I had to deal involved something more than law enforcement. I was not dealing with a few vicious lawbreakers but with thousands of self-respecting workers who felt that they had genuine grievances of long standing."

Experts Ask \$3,000  
In Trial of Duncan

Washington — (7) — The United States yesterday received bills for \$3,000 for services of eight physicians and psychiatrists who testified for the state in the prosecution of Thomas M. Duncan.

Largest bill was for \$75, from Dr. H. Douglas Singer, Chicago psychiatrist, for one consultation and three days in court.

Corporation Counsel Oliver L. O'Boyle said: "The bills do seem high. But the Duncan case was one of the most important criminal prosecutions in recent years. The court did not know what kind of a defense would be made and had to be prepared for any contingency."

## Fired Over 100 For Politics, Hopkins Says

Claims 'Between 100 and  
200' Dropped From  
WPA Rolls

## MANY WARNINGS

### Former Administrator Be- fore Senate Group For Third Day

Washington — (7) — Harry Hopkins testified today he had discharged "between 100 and 200 persons for political activity in connection with WPA."

The lanky former head of the government relief administration made this statement to the senate commerce committee as he appeared for the third consecutive day to testify on his fitness to become secretary of commerce.

Senator Johnson (R-Calif.) asked: "How many warnings to WPA employees did you issue against political activity?"

"About six or eight general warnings," Hopkins answered quickly, and then added, "and a great many other specific ones all over the United States."

Senator Johnson asked Hopkins how many persons had been discharged for political activity.

"I can't give you the exact number but it was between 100 and 200 persons," Hopkins said.

Pennsylvania Situation

Senator Guffey (D-Pa.) entered the committee room after the hearings had started and Johnson chose that moment to ask if Hopkins "was familiar with the situation in Pennsylvania?"

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## Report Hitler Asks Duce for Year of Peace

Message Delivered by  
Reich Envoy to Italian  
Minister

## HOPES FOR DELAY

### Not Yet Ready for Active Support of Mussolini's Demands

Rome — (7) — Adolf Hitler was reported reliably today to have stepped into Prime Minister Chamberlain's appeasement visit to Rome by urging Premier Mussolini to keep the peace for one year before demanding fulfillment of Italy's "natural aspirations."

From informed German quarters came the report that such a message was delivered by the German ambassador, Hans-Georg Viktor von Mackensen, in the second of two conferences he had yesterday with the Italian foreign minister, Count Galeazzo Ciano.

Disclosure of the German fuhrer's part in the Rome conversations came as Chamberlain turned from his talks with il due to pay his respects to Pope Pius XI and as results of the talk were being communicated to the United States and French ambassadors to Rome.

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They discussed the general subject whether the press was free in "America's Town Meeting of the Air," a national radio forum.

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## Traffic Officers Traveled 150,000 Miles During Year

Outagamie county traffic officers traveled a total of 150,860 miles on duty during 1938, according to a report of Captain Charles Steidl. The police made 264 arrests and gave 408 warnings. The arrests brought \$516 in state fines, \$1,839 in county fines and \$800.04 in court costs.

The police made investigations in 140 accidents and assisted at 105 funerals. They attended eight meetings and safety talks were given at 111 schools. Eight fire calls and 187 radio calls were answered. Ten road tests for cars and trucks were conducted and 1,602 vehicles tested. During the year 10 stolen cars were recovered and 5 with drivers.

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SENATE COMMITTEE APPROVES FRANKFURTER

Senator Matthew Neely (left) (D. W. Va.), here shakes hands with Prof. Felix Frankfurter (right) in Washington, after the Senate judiciary sub-committee of which Neely was chairman approved Frankfurter's nomination as a Supreme Court justice. Senator Henry Ashurst (center) (D. Ariz.), chairman of the full judiciary committee yet to vote on Frankfurter, looks on. Note Frankfurter's comparatively small stature.

## Sees Enactment Of Price Fixing Law for Farmers

### Eighteen Senators Join in Introduction of Long Advocated Bill

Washington—(P)—Senators Frazier (R-N. D.) said today there was a good chance of enacting a program for government fixing of farm prices as a substitute for the present crop control law.

Ignoring party lines, 18 senators joined yesterday in introducing the "cost of production" legislation which some farm leaders have advocated for a long time.

Senator Bankhead (D-Ala.) staunch advocate of crop and marketing control features imbedded in the present farm program, questioned ability of the group to muster enough votes.

"The principle of the government fixing any commodity price is wrong. When you start on one thing there is no end. If you fix the prices on things the farmer sells, then you probably will have to fix the prices of things he buys."

Frazier said the new bill would continue the present soil conservation program, under which \$500,000,000 in annual benefit payments is authorized. It also would include crop insurance, surplus relief disposal, and some other features of the present act.

Under the new bill, he said, a farmer could plant, produce and market all he wanted.

"He would receive the fixed price for his share of the domestic market," he explained. "All the surplus would be turned over to the government for export or warehouse reserves. Any income from this would go back to the farmer."

Most interesting politically will be Yndra's bill, for which the Manitowoc county legislator fought hard, but vainly, while he was in the assembly two years ago. All parties have accused each other at some time or other of illegally diverting highway revenue to cover up state treasury deficits. Republicans accused the LaFollette administration of that practice in their victorious fall campaign.

Assisting him in his big job Senator Mack will have two other leaders in county government, Senator Ernest Sauld of Pemine, who has been a member of the Marinette county board for many years, and Jess Miller of Hartford.

Washington—(P)—A cost-of-production farm bill, embodying establishment of minimum prices, had the endorsement today of two Wisconsin legislators.

Senator Frazier (R-N. D.) introduced the bill in the senate, and sponsors included Senator LaFollette (Prog-Wis.). In the house the measure was presented by eight representatives including B. J. Hermann, Melvin (Wis.) Progressive.

Rep. Lemke (R-N. D.) described the bill as a non-partisan answer to Secretary Wallace's challenge for a farm program. It has backing from state legislators of both major parties and some administration Democrats.

The bill retains certain AAA features but discards the principle of limited production.

### Curtain Call Groups Give Parts of Plays

Three scenes from contemporary plays were presented by members of Curtain Call, dramatic group of Appleton High school, at the regular meeting Thursday afternoon.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Seymour State bank was held at the bank on Tuesday evening. Routine business was conducted and directors and officers were elected. Directors are Charles Prosser, H. P. Muehl, Julius Bulbul, T. A. Nickodem, A. P. Lehner, A. M. Faicks and A. G. Kuehn. Officers for the new year are Charles Prosser, president; T. A. Nickodem, cashier; H. P. Muehl, vice president.

Miss Hazel Schneider and Miss Rosetta Nohl, Lark, are visiting at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Bernhard this week.

Mr. Ernest Beyer entertained at bridge Tuesday evening. Four tables were in play and prizes were awarded to Clarence Hallada, Mrs. Gene Rankin and carrying prize was won by August Hacke.

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## City's Agreement With Canal Firm To be Explained

Officials Expect Large Attendance at Mass Meeting Tonight

Kaukauna — A large attendance is anticipated by city officials at 7 o'clock tonight at the mass meeting in the council chambers to explain the agreement entered into with the Green Bay and Mississippi Canal company at a special meeting last Friday. Representatives of the Canal company, the utilities commission, the Thilmany Pulp and Paper company and H. F. Weekwerth, electrical department superintendent, will be present.

The Canal company will be represented by William Van Nortwick and Edward Dempsey, company lawyer. Thilmany's will be presented by Myron T. Ray and Charles Seaborn. If the council chambers can't hold the crowd the civic auditorium will be used.

The discussion will revolve around the contract whereby the city transfers to the Canal company its right to 32 per cent of the Fox river above the government dam in return for 100 per cent of the flow after it passes through the Badger plant, owned by the Canal company. This 100 per cent flow will be diverted for use in the city's electric plant to be built at the former Paten Paper company site.

Weekwerth to Reply

At Friday's meeting City Attorney Harry F. McAndrews read a detailed statement advising the council not to enter into the contract. Weekwerth has prepared a statement which he will read in reply to McAndrews' arguments.

McAndrews brought the Thilmany Pulp and Paper company into the discussion when he implied that the company may not renew its present contract with the city when it expires. The Thilmany contract expires Jan. 1, 1948.

"In consideration of . . . advances of \$30,000 from the city and \$30,000 from the Canal company, about a year ago to permit Thilmany's to increase its boiler capacity to an extent sufficient for its own needs" the Thilmany company entered into a contract to the effect that it would take all of its power requirements, less its water wheels development, from the city for a period of ten years, and at those times when the city was not able to furnish its full requirements from electricity generated by the Canal company's plants, the Thilmany company would reduce its demand on the city for certain definite amounts and within thirty minutes after being notified. It was the basic thought in entering into this agreement that the city could retain the Thilmany company as a customer, and that when the Canal company plants could not furnish enough power, Thilmany would start its own generating equipment, and thereby the city would not have to purchase from other utilities."

## Select Dates for Forensic Contests

Class Declamatory, Extempore Reading Competition Planned

Kaukauna — Dates for Kaukauna High school class contests in declamatory work and extempore reading have been announced by Miss Ethelyn Hanjran, coach of these forensic activities. Freshmen will compete on February 28, sophomores on March 1, juniors on March 2 and seniors on March 3. Selections will be either humorous or dramatic. An extempore reading contest will be held in the civic auditorium at 3:15 on March 3 and 4, with contestants reading 6-minute selections from travel books.

Students have been chosen in class eliminations for further competition. Freshmen are Mary McCarty, Marie Vendehier, Kathleen Coppers, Evelyn Tryman, Mary Schatzka, James McGrath; juniors, Mary Lou Vanenhooven, Dorothy Zink, Louise Nelson, Rita Belongea, Genevieve Wrensch, Clarence DeBrin, Gladys Gilkey; seniors Mary Jane Garity, Gertrude Renn, Ena Richards, Arleen Van Gompel, Lorraine Tryman, Robert Niesen, Lorraine Powers, Marianne Van Abel, John Burns and Clifford Kalista.

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BROTHERS PLEAD GUILTY TO MURDER CHARGE

Two backwoods farmers from near Reedsburg, Wis., John Woelfel (left) and his brother, Joseph (center), pleaded guilty in Baraboo, Wis., to a charge of murdering Patrick and Maurice Healy. The Healy's were neighbors of the Woelfels. They were shot while training coon dogs. At right is Sheriff Charles Mattice, who questioned the Woelfels.

## Eastern Star Chapter to Seat Officers in Open Installation

Kaukauna — Members of the Odile chapter No. 184, Order of Eastern Star and their families and members of the Masonic Lodge and their families will hold a dinner at 6:30 tonight at Masonic hall. After the dinner Odile chapter will conduct an open installation of officers.

Holy Cross court, Catholic Order of Foresters, will meet at 8 o'clock Monday evening at the church hall. Business will be transacted and refreshments served.

Mrs. Joseph Vanenhooven was hostess to the Loyal Star Five Hundred club Wednesday afternoon, with Mrs. William Bay, Mrs. Mike

### Carol Schley Named Courtesy Club Head At Park Grade School

Kaukauna — Carol Schley was named president of the Courtesy club of Park school as the group met this week, with Ellen Rieh elected first vice president. Other officers named were Rosemary Stegeman, second vice president; Ruth Koglin, third vice president; Mary Haas, fourth vice president; Carol Leigh, secretary; Joyce Studler, treasurer; Janet Helf, north side club reporter, and Mary Ann Miller, south side club reporter. Ellen Rieh will be in charge of next week's program which will deal with hobbies.

### City Cage League to Resume Play Saturday

Kaukauna — The Mellow Brews will be after their fourth straight City Basketball league victory as the circuit resumes play tomorrow night at the high school gymnasium. The Brews will tackle the Pantry Lunch five at 8:15, with the Pulpmakers clashing with the CYO at 7:15. The D-X Oils will play Gustmans Sunday afternoon, with the Pulpmakers taking on an out of town team.

Pastor Describes South At Churchmen's Meet

Kaukauna — The Rev. L. F. Green, Brokaw Memorial Methodist Episcopal church pastor, talked on "A Visit into the Deep South" at a meeting of the men of the church Wednesday evening at Epworth home. He described his visit to Negro colleges and schools in the south. Church matters also were discussed.

Fraternal Leagues Will Clash Tonight

Kaukauna — Fraternal bowling league fires will tangle again tonight, with American Legion meeting Moose and Kaukauna Knights of Columbus opposing the Foresters at 7 o'clock. On the second shift the Hollandland Knights of Columbus will meet the Masons and Elks will oppose Greenwoods.

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## Hopkins Handled Himself Well In Appearance Before Senators

BY RAYMOND CLAPPER

Washington — Let New Dealers profit by the example of Harry Hopkins, their hero and the ablest of them all. Considering the difficult position in which he was placed, appearing before the largely hostile senate committee which was inquiring into his qualifications to be secretary of commerce, Hopkins handled himself skillfully and effectively. Especially considering the embarrassing position he was in with regard to politics and WPA.

On that, Hopkins executed a strategic retreat to much stronger ground. He said—and he has good reason to mean it—that if he had it to do over again, he would not have made political speeches while head of WPA. He also said he probably should have fired WPA people caught mixing into politics in Kentucky and other states. That statement may have been a disappointment to some of his critics on the committee who were prepared to hang Hopkins over a hickory limb at that point. When they made a grab for him, he wasn't there.

Although it was a neat escape, Hopkins thereby acknowledged the serious mistake which has marred an otherwise notable record of handling some \$9,000,000 and distributing it among some 3,000,000 persons through an administrative organization numbering 35,000 and covering every county in the country.

Hopkins has nothing to fear from those critics who object to his sympathy with the unemployed and his aggressive efforts to give them work. General Frank Murphy has from the

## Scouters Meet at Weyauwega Hotel

Program of Activities are Outlined for Current Year

Weyauwega — Scouters of this district, including Waupaca, Manawa and Weyauwega met Tuesday evening at Hotel Dobbins with Scout Executive Harry Hertz of Oshkosh. The meeting was called to order by President F. W. Bauer, with the following scouts present: Roy Holly, Dr. A. M. Christofferson, Theodore Christof, Olaf Skye, Paul Ovrum, Barney Pommier and Ralph Hoffman; Waupaca; Leslie Lamkins, Erwin Esche and E. R. Wandtke, Manawa; Ed Levina and H. R. Hertz of Oshkosh; F. W. Bauer, Dr. W. E. Poplar, the Rev. Russell Peterson, A. H. Koten, John Sherburne and Oscar Wiesman of Weyauwega. President Bauer told the group what he expected of them during 1939. Scout Executive Hertz laid out a program for the scouts and with the help of the Scouting present set quotas to shoot at for 1939.

The next major activity in the Scout Anniversary party, which will be held again this year during the week of Feb. 8 at which time there will be a pot luck supper and court of honor. Other speakers of the evening were Roy Holly, district commissioner, Ed Levina, past president of the council, and Dr. A. M. Christofferson, president of the council.

Bear Creek at the high school gymnasium Friday evening.

"Glueing, the World's Fair magician" gave an entertainment

Insurance Company Makes 3 Changes in Policy Provisions

Forest Junction — Three enactments affecting its policy holders evolved from the annual meeting of the Equity Town Mutual Insurance company held at the Brillton town hall here Thursday. One of them bars payment of losses which originate from the use of electric fences. Another makes acceptable risk any dwelling without lightning rods outside of the limits of a village or city, provided the area has available fire protection. The third enactment provides for an inspection of premises for fire hazards by the company's agent in writing new or renewed policies. An inspection sheet will be filed in carrying out this enactment.

By-laws of the company had previously accepted only unrodded dwelling houses located within the corporate limits of any village or city. Approximately 55 policy holders attended the meeting, which also reelected H. L. Bastian and Albert Siever to the board of directors for three years. Other directors of the company are William Vollmer, president, H. C. Ullrich, secretary-treasurer, John Zimmerman and John Seybold.

Forty-eight losses, aggregating \$26,821.77, were paid by the company in 1938, according to the twenty-seventh annual report. There were 1,836 policies in force in Calumet and adjacent counties at the close of the calendar year, which was 24 more than a year before. Total risk on the 1,836 policies is \$11,141,716.

for both the high and grade schools in the gymnasium Monday afternoon.

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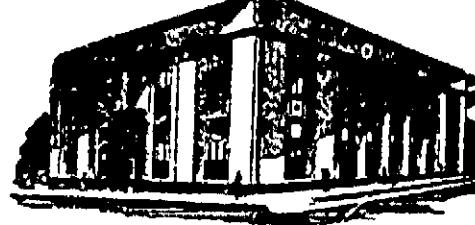
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SENATOR CLARK AND HIS SIRE

Senator Clark of Missouri has often been spoken of as Presidential timber in 1940. Mr. Clark, despite his fighting opposition to certain wild Roosevelt measures, had no difficulty in winning handsomely in Missouri this year.

But when Senator Clark is put before a Democratic National Convention as a possible presidential nominee no one will be able to blot out the Convention of 1912 when his father, although receiving the majority of the votes, was done out of the nomination because of the two-thirds rule, until finally Woodrow Wilson emerged with the plum.

Since Wilson and Clark were widely opposite characters, it behoves some imaginative historian to write America's story since 1912 upon the assumption that Mr. Clark became president instead of Mr. Wilson. We could start with the postulate that America would never have participated in the World war. That is an almost unavoidable conclusion. But starting with that simple statement, the writer of the world's history from thence forward would be surrounded with the greatest mass of detail that ever brought smiles to a happy author's face.

How could he, however, avoid the conclusion that with America out of the fray Germany would never have been brought to revolution? A rather decent peace would in fact have been patched up. And this becomes a suitable conclusion because neither side could have won and at long last each would have realized that fact just before dropping from existence.

With such a peace there would have been no Polish Corridor, no Memel, no Saar, no Sudetenland and Austria-Hungary would not have been torn to bits to satisfy spleens that had carried the poison of hatred for centuries.

In the event of such a peace neither Hitler nor Mussolini would have been known to the world. Herr Adolf would now be mumbbling around beer halls in little Bavarian towns trying to earn a few marks with his atrocious paintings while children touched their foreheads as he passed in consideration of which he turned and orated to them speaking of grandiose and spectacular things much to their amusement. And Mussolini would still be shouting curses upon all kings, rulers and potentates while he spoke before motley throngs of ragged people and made their eyes blaze with the beautiful picture originated by Mr. Marx and called Socialism.

Quite likely the Kaiser or some of his numerous progeny would be ruling and threatening as of old. But his threats would have become softened with loose teeth and the awful experience of a World war that ended in a stalemate.

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The public expects to pay for carrying the necessary or business mail of congressmen and other departments of the federal government. To make those departments pay would be merely duplication of bookkeeping because they would have to be provided with the money for the purpose.

But to prevent the 531 members of congress from abusing their franking privileges is quite another thing and should be accomplished by specific amendment to the law.

During the last campaign two senators residing elsewhere flooded Wisconsin with literature in favor of Senator Duffy. Mr. Duffy pled he did not even know about their interested generosity. If they actually covered the mailing lists of the state, as charged by opponents, they presented Senator Duffy with about \$50,000 worth of campaign expenses, all paid for by the people of this country in making good the deficit of the Post Office Department.

The incumbent of an office has a certain advantage in a race for reelection because he is generally well known. To add to this another \$50,000 for a state office, and at the expense of the people, is a bit heavy.

The Russian press printed under a constitution that specifies freedom of speech and press—if you are silly enough to take it literally—howls upon the heels of those departing brothers of the great and glorious cause of liberty and fraternity with much the same staccato yelps as they may receive by way of welcome from Czarism on the other side.

The charge against them is that they were the driving force of freedom was that they had been instrumental in forcing confessions from innocent people. And the Christmas batch of the dispatched themselves confessed to forcing confessions from others upon which the others had been theretofore duly punished. As surely as the Aztecs could foresee future events by the condition of cloud rings around the moon the world should be able to realize that another epidemic of confessions is due in the land of the Soviets. And these fellows continue to confess without any evangelist like the

chairman of the board, J. Warren Madson, defended his economist against earlier charges that his views were anti-capitalist, but

## DALE HARRISON'S In Old New York

New York—Lonesomeness is the soul's bitterest hemlock.

It was Holiday week. We sat, the Lovely Lady and I, leisurely finishing our dinner at a night club, waiting for the show to begin. We are both bugs over vaudeville.

The customers were still straggling in. Many of them stopped to chat with friends already seated. There are seven million New Yorkers, but the crowds at First Nights, whether they be at theatres or night clubs, are pretty much the same people, night after night.

Tommy Farr came in—Tommy Farr, the Welsh fighter whose fourteenth round courage against Nova less than a fortnight before had seemed to me one of the most splendid things I have ever seen in a ring. He chatted with a dozen friends before reaching his table next to ours.

Eleanor Holm, the swimmer, and Billy Rose, the Welshman, the busiest showman in town, converged across a table a few feet farther away.

All around was the music of dishes as diners hurried to end their meal before the start of the show. Beautiful women, satisfying food, wine, music and soft lights set a scene of contentment.

We, the Lovely Lady and I, were part and parcel of that contentment. We had dined well. Her sinus had subsided. Santa Claus had been good. The New Year boded well.

There was no shadow on that moment of happiness. Then the Flower Girl came by.

She said hello. Let's call her Evelyn. We have known her, as one gets to know employees of public places if he goes to them often for several months. She placed her tray of flowers on the table and wished us both a Happy New Year.

It was my fault for bringing it up. I asked her if she had had a merry Christmas.

"Christmas!" she replied, bitterly. "How could I have a merry Christmas."

"I know it isn't like being home," I blurted hastily. "But New York is gay during the holidays, and you are young and pretty. You must have had fun."

She looked at us with tortured eyes.

"On Christmas," she said slowly, "I got drunk."

Evelyn's home is in Memphis, Tennessee. She is as friendly and as sweet as the blossoms she sells. It was hard to picture her—just a kid, really, at 19—spending Christmas with a bottle.

I said: "Evelyn, I've got a good notion to spank you."

"I deserve it, I guess," was her answer. She leaned closer. "There wasn't anything else I could do. Honest, I was so lonesome. Gay New York! Gay, yes, for 364 days a year. But Christmas—everybody ought to be home on Christmas. It seemed as though I just couldn't live the day through."

"I may go home in a few weeks—home to Nashville," said my dinner companion.

"Tell me when," cried the flower girl, "and I'll go with you. Nashville, Memphis, Knoxville—any part of Tennessee. I love it."

She picked up her tray and stood ready to leave.

"I'll drop back before you go—may I?" she said. "It makes me feel better, talking with someone from down there."

Smiling now, she moved away.

I made a note in my book: "Evelyn—flower girl—lonesome Christmas."

It occurred to me that some day I might write a little squib about it.

Holidays leave me cold. They always have.

I hate July Fourth because the firecrackers startle me and scare the wits out of the dog. Columbus Day is a bally nuisance because the banks are closed, and it seems like that is the only day I want to go to the bank. Lincoln's and Washington's birthdays irk me for the same reason. Both gentlemen were great, and I treasure their contributions to America. Having holidays for them, though, is annoying.

My resentment is born of a life served on newspapers. Newspapers didn't get the day off in my time. It burned me up to be working while other citizens were going on picnics.

My wife is different. She lives for holidays. She will celebrate everything from Christmas to the anniversary of Rusty's first yelp. It takes all kind of people to make a family.

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## Looking Backward

10 YEARS AGO  
Friday, Jan. 11, 1929

A Chicago and North Western railroad flat car loaded with ice and snow was derailed in the freight yards that afternoon and crashed into the south side of the stock yards between N. Division street and N. Superior street, demolishing the main building.

A gift to Lawrence college of a fund of \$5,000 to be used for scholarships from an unidentified donor was announced by Dr. H. M. Wriston that day. The fund was to be known as the Addie Faville fund. Although tuitions had increased 30 per cent the last year, it was noted the money available for scholarships had increased 100 per cent.

Stockholders of the Neenah-Menasha Finance company that week reelected E. E. Lampert, Dr. G. E. Forkin, C. H. Veite, R. E. Sanders, W. A. Brooks, F. J. Schneller, E. F. Saeger, Dr. M. N. Pitz and George D. Barnes as directors.

25 YEARS AGO  
Friday, Jan. 16, 1914

All records for outdoor sports in the city were broken the previous day when Arthur Wittman, Carl Davidson, Lynn Pardee and Eugene Colvin played a set of tennis on the Lawrence college courts.

A number of friends gathered at the home of Mrs. John Toonen, Main street, the previous evening in honor of her birthday anniversary. Cards and games were played and a lunch was served by Mrs. William School and Miss Marion Toonen.

R. W. Klotz left for Chicago the previous evening where he was to attend the furniture dealers convention.

## A Verse for Today

By Anne Campbell

### TEACH ME TO BE LIKE YOU

Teach me to be like you, without  
One thought of pettiness, and no  
Dark handicap of fear and doubt  
To make my promises dull and slow.

Your nature is unctuous,  
You have no time for bitterness,  
But lend a helping hand to all  
Who come to you in their distress.

I would be generous and kind  
Taking the broad unselfish view,  
With a glad heart and sunny mind,  
If I could learn 'o be like you.

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so far as the record shows there has been no reply from the board to the statement that Mr. Sapoza did, in fact, support an organization committed to the abolition of capitalism. Since belief in such a program would clearly unfit him to serve as economist to a body created to be the path of capitalism easier, it is clearly important, for the sake of the labor board and in the general public interest, that the matter be set straight.—Baltimore Sun.

The chairman of the board, J. Warren Madson, defended his economist against earlier charges that his views were anti-capitalist, but

## A Bystander In Washington

BY PRESTON GROVER

Washington—Congress was barely in its seat this session when it was startled by one of the most amazing slips of years—the accidental, premature publication of the Navy's plan for extending its fortified zone right up to the Japanese door step.

For a foreign spy to have gathered this advance information on what the Navy hopes to do in the Pacific and around the Canal Zone would

Grover have assured him at least a stiff raise in pay. Now the whole thing can be had for perhaps a dime—the price isn't set yet—from the government printing office.

The report told of the Navy's hopes for building 25 new bases for planes, submarines, destroyers and mines over a zone that encompasses half the Pacific ocean and all of the Caribbean and Gulf of Mexico.

It told of the number of airplanes and men advisable for each station and listed the projects according to the urgency of their need.

Outstanding on the list was fortification of the island of Guam.

This little island is 1,200 miles from Japan and in fact right in the heart

of several islands mandated to Japan after the World war.

Deep, Dark Secret

Ordinarily such projects are kept hidden in secret files and only communicated even to Congress on demand.

This report was compiled especially for Congress as requested in the billion dollar naval bill of last session.

During the summer a thorough

study of need was made, submitted by Admiral Hepburn, chairman of the board, to Secretary Swanson of the Navy, and by him relayed to the President.

From him it came to the desk of Speaker Bankhead about 10 days before the session opened. There it lay awaiting convening of Congress, when the House Naval Affairs Committee was to study it.

It was marked "confidential" with a red naval seal. But the letter of transmittal accompanying the report was tightly affixed to the cover page, completely hiding the "confidential" seal. A few reporters knew of the existence of the report, and an Associated Press reporter, Reg Ingraham, kept it foremost in mind.

The second day of Congress he checked on it and learned that it had been routinely transmitted to the bill clerk to be made public at once. The "confidential" seal had remained hidden.

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## Insurance Against Next War Found in National Defense

Congress Agreed on Importance of Effective Program

BY DAVID LAWRENCE

Washington—No differences of opinion are to be found in congress on the importance of an effective national defense, but the argument begins when it is sought to fix just what is adequate.

President Roosevelt, as commander-in-chief of the army and navy, is in possession of the very latest information as to military or naval plans of foreign powers which might conceivably affect America. Such information cannot be made public, but the president went as far as he could when he permitted the two American ambassadors resident at Paris and London to communicate confidentially in person to joint committees of both houses of congress their impressions of the European situation as it relates to possible war.

The question really is, how soon Europe will engage in war, for though the United States in 1914 made an effort to keep out of the World war, entanglement did result. Whether this participation was justified or unjustified, the fact remains that the United States did enter the World war and hence, from a military and naval standpoint, the high officers of the army and navy naturally make their recommendations for defense on the basis of possibility as demonstrated by a previous experience.

National defense, of course, is the nation's insurance against the fire hazard of a world conflagration. A fire department is necessary even if fire doesn't occur very often. The United States has a national wealth estimated as far back as 1922 to have been \$320,000,000,000. To protect that wealth, assuming it is not any higher today, costs about \$1,300,000,000 per year now, or an insurance premium of less than one-half of one per cent per annum.

If governments were not engaged nowadays in the business of stealing territory to get resources and raw materials, there would be little need for a bigger army and navy. The United States has the best raw material supply in the world—heavy percentage of the world's gold, the world's copper, the world's oil, and the world's food supply. But there are important raw materials in Pan America.

"Peaceful" Penetration

The European governments which have begun their campaigns of "peaceful" penetration by the threat of force have shown a tendency to look covetously at countries with valuable raw materials below the Rio Grande. No matter what official assurances are given publicly, the information available is to the effect that South and Central America are not outside of the areas to which hungry eyes are turned by the so-called dictatorship countries.

But the question may be raised that war in Europe is far off, and hence military and naval preparation for the remote contingency of America's being drawn into the next conflict is unnecessary. Every bit of official information available during the last several months has pointed to the gravity of the European situation as a whole.

Recently, private informants from European countries have stated flatly to this correspondent that war in Europe within two years was almost a ten-to-one probability, and that the next world war would start through conflict between Soviet Russia and Japan, which would afford the Hitler government an opportunity to seize the Ukraine and add to Germany's march to the east. Contradictory information comes as to the strength of the anti-Chamberlain sentiment in England, but the American government has made up its mind that a national defense policy should be constructed on the basis of American power rather than alliances, desirable though they may become in an international emergency.

If a war is two or even three years off, what is America's preparation? The lesson of 1917 was that bickering and debate delayed the American program of national defense between 1914 and 1917. Elements friendly to the central powers, as well as others who sincerely believed America could not be drawn into the war, succeeded in postponing the renovation of the army and navy. President Roosevelt remembers well the tour made by the late President Wilson early in 1916 to argue for "preparedness" and the chill reception which his words received in the middle west. Mr. Roosevelt feels America paid a big penalty for that delay and is determined it shall not happen again. That's why the new national defense program will be pressed as a demonstration to all the world, and particularly Japan and Germany and Italy, that the United States will not be caught napping again in a military sense.

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OPENING AT APPLETON SATURDAY

Featured in the cast of the brand new comedy hit, "Thanks for Every Thing," is this group of high and low comedy experts. They are Jack Haley, Arleen Whalen, Adolphe Menjou, Binnie Barnes and Jack Oakie. Expounding the droll idea that there is such a thing as a "Mister Average Man," the picture may be seen at the Appleton Theatre starting Saturday, January 14. The cast also includes Tony Martin, George Barbier and Warren Hymer.

The companion feature will be "Newboys' Home" with Jackie Cooper, Edmund Lowe and The Little Tough Guys.

## Taxation and Voting are Topics at P.T.A. Meeting

Forest Junction — Two functions of citizenship, one an obligation, the other a prerogative, occupied the attention of the Parent-Teacher association at McKinley school at its monthly meeting here Tuesday evening, in two topics, one on taxation by E. A. Rusch, Brillion town treasurer, and the other on voting by Mrs. Margaret Arns.

In speaking on the forms and purposes of taxation, Mr. Rusch used the current tax roll which is now being collected in the township to illustrate the sources of the various charges and the governmental activities for which the monies are expended. He placed particular emphasis on the benefits which accrue to the public as well as to the taxpayers individually by way of security in person and property in consequence of tax paying.

The topic by Mrs. Arns, "Soon We'll Vote," was one of a series in the present parent-teacher study course on the family in a democratic society.

A joint observance of "founders' day" with the Boone Parent-Teacher association of Chilton is being planned by the program committee for Feb. 14. Miss Emma F. Brookmire, field secretary of the Wisconsin Congress of Parents and Teachers, Madison, has been invited to speak on the occasion.

Stockholders of the Forest Junction State bank transacted the annual business of the institution in annual meeting here Tuesday afternoon and elected the following board of directors: John Seybold, president; S. E. Jansch, vice president; Otto Schley, cashier; William Peeters, Outagamie county register of deeds.

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## Today and Tomorrow

BY WALTER LIPPMAN

### The Doors of America

The decisions which the American people are about to make are known to be momentous, and one of the best ways of preparing to make wise decisions is to study great examples of how American statesmen have in the past dealt with problems similar to our own. A very good example to study today, because it illustrates how a truly far-sighted statesman dealt with the underlying problem of defense and American security, can be found in Jefferson's dealings with Napoleon over the questions which led to the Louisiana Purchase.

It would be a good preparation for the coming debate on armaments if every one who intends to take part in the debate would read carefully the letter which Jefferson wrote on April 18, 1802, to Robert R. Livingston, the American minister to France. In reading it we must recall that when Jefferson was writing to Livingston the French Revolution had burst through the frontiers of France, and under the command of Napoleon Bonaparte was beginning to overrun the Continent of Europe. Then we must recall that the mouth of the Mississippi at New Orleans and the great territory west of the river had been under Spanish sovereignty since 1763.

Jefferson Saw Need  
Of Acquiring 'Doorway'

In 1800 by the secret treaty of San Ildefonso Spain ceded this great province to Napoleon France, and a little later, in 1801, Jefferson found out about it. He then wrote his letter to Livingston saying that "The cession of Louisiana and the Floridas by Spain to France works most sorely on the United States.

It completely reverses all the political relations of the United States, and will form a new epoch in our political course." For, said Jefferson, though France is the country which "hitherto has offered the fewest points on which we could have any conflict of right" yet "there is on the globe one single spot, the possessor of which is our natural and habitual enemy." It is, said Jefferson, the port of New Orleans, because that is the door to a great part of the territory of the American people.

He, then, advised Livingston that New Orleans in Spanish hands was tolerable because Spain was weak and unaggressive. But New Orleans in the hands of Napoleonic France, with all "the impetuosity of her temper, the energy and restlessness of her character" would be "a point of eternal friction with us." Then, though he was pro-French and anti-British by sympathy, Jefferson went on to say that "the day France takes possession of New Orleans" we "must marry ourselves to the British fleet and nation," and, "having formed and connected together a power which renders reinforcements of her settlements here impossible to France," hold "the two continents of America in sequestration for the common purposes of the united British and American nations." But since such an alliance

between the two oceans only by passing through these strategic doors. As all these points are securely in our hands or in the hands of nations which have no further ambitions in this hemisphere, we have the same degree of security that we have always enjoyed.

The Japanese may conquer China the Germans may conquer central Europe and southern Russia, but the defenses of the United States would still stand, and no power could attack us or intimidate us or extend its sovereignty in the American continents. But if some

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## Road Work Heads WPA Projects in State Last Year

Highway Improvement Constitutes Major Part of Program

Post-Crescent Washington Bureau

Washington — More than 223 miles of road have been improved and 86 miles of new road built by the works progress administration in highway, road and street projects in Wisconsin during July through November of last year, it was announced today.

The preliminary report showed completion of 2,531 miles of new road, for all the states, and improvement of 28,085 miles, during the period.

Rural roads, mostly of the farm-to-market type, comprise the biggest group. Of these Wisconsin has

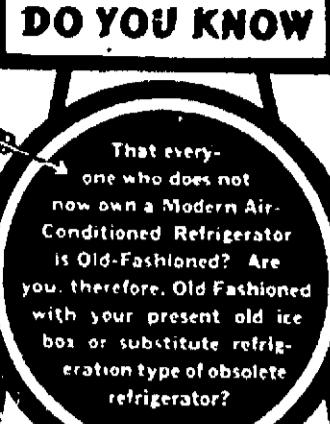
179.1 miles improved and 52 miles of new road, paved.

Of city streets, 42.2 miles have been improved and 1.5 miles laid new, with 283 miles of new paved sidewalk. 12 New Bridges

Wisconsin has 97 new culverts and 6 improved, 12 new bridges and 3 improved.

"Because of the large opportunity for the employment of unskilled labor, and because of the widespread demand for better roads, highway projects constitute a major phase of the WPA construction program," Col. F. C. Harrington, said. "More than 47 per cent of all persons employed by the WPA are at work on projects of this type."

The projects have included the building of road shoulders curbs and gutters, guard rails and walls, street lights, drainage, landscaping, the removal of tracks and elimination of grade crossings.



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Black on.



## May Limit Speed On Some Roads in Outagamie County

### County Safety Council Outlines Objectives At Meeting

Outagamie County's new Safety council, in its first meeting of the new year at the courthouse last night, adopted bylaws for its guidance and outlined a number of objectives. The by-laws call for regular meetings every three months, but during the period of organization at least special meetings will be held at more frequent intervals. The next meeting will be on Feb. 16.

A committee headed by A. T. Gardner, Combined Locks, was instructed to continue its investigation of motion picture projectors and was empowered to purchase a machine. It is proposed to show safety motion pictures as a part of the council's educational campaign.

Another committee headed by Joseph Duerer, Kimberly, will confer with county traffic officers, county board committees and the sheriff's department about patrolling rural highways, and a third committee, headed by F. R. Appleton, Oneida, was instructed to see what can be done about establishing reasonable speed limits on certain county and town roads on which there have been a large number of accidents. This committee also was instructed to see what can be done about removal of advertising signs and other objectional material for highway right-of-way.

Erection of a larger "spot" map to show the nature and location of accidents was left for investigation to another committee headed by W. H. Webb of Kimberly.

R. W. Mahony, chairman of the council, who presided last night, said the council is proceeding carefully in its formative stages and is endeavoring to arrange a constructive program that will meet the approval of every one interested in making safer use of highways.

### Heilig to be Speaker At Madison Conference

Herb Heilig, director of the Appleton Vocational school, will speak on "Individual Treatment of Pupils versus Group Treatment" at a conference of homemaking teachers tomorrow in Madison.

The conference opened this afternoon at Hotel Lorraine in Madison. Dr. George P. Hambrecht, state director of vocational education, will open tomorrow morning's session. Amelia Horn, Menasha, is a member of the committee on arrangements.

## Pioneer Kimberly Resident Is Dead

### John Laeyendecker, Sr., 78, Succumbs at His Home

John Laeyendecker, Sr., 78, a resident of Kimberly 49 years, died at 4:30 this morning at his home on Kimberly avenue after a 6-month illness.

Born in Overselt, Holland, he came to the United States in 1884. He and Mrs. Layendecker celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Nov. 20, 1934.

Mr. Layendecker was a director of the Building and Loan association and a charter member of the Holy Name society of Holy Name church.

Survivors are the widow; one daughter, Mrs. Clarence Melcher, Kimberly; one son, John, Appleton; four grandchildren.

The funeral will be held at 8:30 Monday morning at the residence with services at 9 o'clock at the Holy Name church in Kimberly. The Rev. J. Vanden Borne will be in charge. Burial will be in the parish cemetery. The body will be at the residence from Saturday afternoon to the hour of services. Prayers will be recited there at 7:30 Saturday night and by the Holy Name society at 7:30 Sunday night.

### DEATHS

**MRS. ELIZABETH KRONSER**  
Mrs. Elizabeth Kronser, 75, 913 W. Lawrence street, a resident of Appleton 60 years, died at 2:15 this morning at her home after a 3-month illness. Born in Austria 17, 1883, she came to Appleton in 1906 and 1937.

Mrs. Kronser was a member of St. Joseph's church and the Christian Mothers society.

Survivors are seven daughters: Mrs. Joseph Bodnar, Mrs. Arthur Fassbender, Kalamazoo, Mich.; Mrs. Anton Weiske, Montello, Wis.; Mrs. Herb Goller, Menasha; Mrs. Theresa Bruix, Darboy; Mrs. Joseph Lossevong, Appleton; Mrs. Catherine Kronser, at home; one sister, Mrs. Mary Ricker, Appleton; 19 grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

The funeral will be held at 8:30 Monday morning at Wachmann Funeral home with services at 9 o'clock at St. Joseph's church. Burial will be in the parish cemetery. The body will be at the funeral home from Saturday afternoon to the hour of services. Prayers will be recited there by the Christian Mothers society at 7:30 Saturday evening and there will be another prayer service at the same time Sunday evening.

**REV. C. W. MORSE**  
Word has been received here of the death of the Rev. C. W. Morse, 73, Lake City, Minn., on Dec. 25, four days after an automobile accident in which his wife was killed. The accident occurred in Minnesota Dec. 22.

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### ARRANGE FOR PUBLIC SAFETY MEETING ON JAN. 25

Plans are going forward for a public safety meeting which will be held Wednesday evening, Jan. 25, at the Morgan school auditorium. R. L. Swanson, center above, Wilson Junior High school instructor, is shown as he edits the color film, "Handle Bar Hazards," which will be shown at the meeting. Also in the picture are Sergeant Carl Radtke, head of the police motorcycle division and the bicycle safety bureau, and Chief of Police George T. Prim, who are in charge of the arrangements for the meeting. (Post-Crescent Photo)

## Utility Is Accused Of Overstatement In 1934 Report

### SEC Charges Associated Gas and Electric Over- Estimated Assets

Washington — The securities commission accused Associated Gas and Electric company today of overstating its assets by about \$170,000,000.

The company, which has gross assets of more than \$1,000,000,000, was charged by the commission with making "false and misleading statements with respect to material facts."

It has subsidiary properties in New York, Pennsylvania, Virginia, New Jersey, Florida and Georgia.

The commission ordered a hearing to be held in Washington Feb. 14 to determine whether shares of the company should be delisted. Stocks of the company are traded on the Boston Stock Exchange, the Los Angeles Stock Exchange and the New York Curb.

The SEC also charged the company with handling its accounts in a way which resulted in overstatement of consolidated earned surplus by about \$135,000,000 in 1934.

Statement Filed

In the same year, the commission charged, the company set up its accounts in a way which resulted in understating a 1934 loss by about \$2,500,000.

The charges relative to 1934 pertained to a registration statement filed with the commission.

The commission said also the company had failed to disclose its relationship to persons controlling it, "or to state material facts pertinent to the possible existence of effective control."

The company, it was charged, also failed to state required information on the aggregate remuneration paid to certain service companies and others. Another charge was the company neglected to name the persons other than directors, officers or employees whose aggregate remuneration was more than \$20,000 in 1934.

In addition to misstatements found in the registration statement for 1934, the commission said, the handling of accounts was misleading in the annual reports for 1935, 1936 and 1937.

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### Debenack Promises To Give Taxpayers Preference on Jobs

Charles Debenack, representing the Building Trades council, Thursday promised to give preference to Appleton taxpayers in supplying laborers for Appleton's two PWA projects, the remodeling of Lincoln school and the sewage plant garage.

The promise was made at a meeting of the board of public works, the grounds and buildings committee of the city council, contractors and labor representatives.

Alderman Knuijt urged the meeting to make sure contractors and the unions would give Appleton taxpayers preference when hiring laborers for the two jobs.

The following officers were reelected at the meeting: John R. Diderrich, president, Homer H. Benton, vice president; Edward C. Hilfert, treasurer; George H. Beckley, secretary; Lucille A. Lillig, Hattie A. Vandenberg, Lila L. Radtke, secretaries; Benton, Bosser, Becker and Parnell, attorneys.

Three directors, Daniel P. Steinberg, Sr., John R. Diderrich, and Philip Weisenbach, were reelected to three-year terms.

President Diderrich selected the following committees to serve the ensuing year: appraisal, Daniel P. Steinberg, Sr.; Philip Weisenbach, and Joseph J. Plank; auditing, Henry A. Gloudemann, Homer H. Benton, and William E. Schubert.

Steinberg talked on the real estate at last night's meeting and Benton discussed safety features of the association from a legal standpoint.

Gloudemann reviewed the auditing report and Hilfert presented the treasurer's report.

Six applications for mortgage loans were approved for a total sum of \$22,300.

Spring-Like Spell Ended;  
31 Degrees This  
Afternoon

Giant-sized snowflakes plastered a winter setting back on Appleton today after an unusual mild wave had left streets, sidewalks, and a good share of the ground bare.

The Milwaukee weather bureau predicted "occasional snow" for tonight and tomorrow throughout the state. Temperatures were mild today, however, with the thermometer reading 31 degrees in the city at 1:30 this afternoon.

For the 24-hour period ended at 9 o'clock this morning, the highest mark in the city was 29, recorded at 9 o'clock yesterday morning, and the lowest 17, registered at 10 o'clock last night, according to charts at the Wisconsin Michigan Power company plant.

There was snow in the midwest and east and rain in much of the south today, the Associated Press reported. Miami and Jacksonville, Fla., produced yesterday's high, 80 degrees. Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., had zero weather to take low hon.

**PAYS STATE TAXES**

Henry Breitling, treasurer of the town of Maple Creek, was the second to pay state taxes to Miss Marie Zieckenhagen, Outagamie county treasurer. The amount was \$1,254.48, run consecutively.

Twenty Men Out for Su-  
pervisory Posts; Five  
File Papers Today

Two aldermanic candidates and two seeking county board jobs took nomination papers this morning. Five men filed papers for county and city positions.

The new candidates bring the total running for common council posts to 37 and for county board 20. There will be 18 aldermanic jobs, 18 supervisory posts and three school board positions open to candidates in the primary election, March 14.

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Peter A. VanOudenhooven, 1007 W.  
Packard street, took out nomination  
papers for supervisor from the  
Seventeenth ward and will oppose  
George Weinhorn, 1109 W. Packard  
street. Howard VanOyen, 929 W.  
Commercial street, is seeking the  
county board job in the Sixteenth  
ward. He is unopposed.

**CAR FIRE**

Firemen were called to 702 E.  
North street at 11:10 this morning  
when radiator alcohol in a car owned  
by L. H. Belling caught fire. No  
damage was reported.

**ORDERED FROM COUNTY**

Frank Fellows, Oshkosh, plead-  
ed not guilty of vagrancy when he  
appeared in municipal court of  
Judge Thomas H. Ryan yesterday.

The case was adjourned for a week  
and Fellows was ordered from the  
county.

**Takes Out Papers**

Alderman Kubitz took out papers  
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## Study Investment Field to Avoid Losses, Van Vonderen Urges in Talk to Woman's Club

BY KEEPING ABREAST of changing conditions and picking the right spot in the proper industry, by diversifying investments, by placing money with established and reputable companies in whom one has confidence, by investigating through many sources and making some study of investments one can guard against bad investments, according to E. J. Van Vonderen who spoke before Appleton Federated Women's club yesterday afternoon on "Stock Trading and Investments."

"Get inquisitive about the investment field," he urged his listeners, pointing out that many women who find themselves suddenly faced with the necessity of handling money and investing it, do not know the difference between stocks and bonds.

He cautioned his audience to be wary of tipster sheets they might receive in the mail, also to keep their securities in their own possession. He mentioned the four manuals on stocks which are available to those interested in which bonds are listed and rated for the convenience and information of purchasers.

Mr. Van Vonderen explained briefly the various types of investments and defined some of the expressions used in stock trading such as first and second mortgage bonds, sinking fund, lease hold bond, debenture bond, preferred and common stock, par value and listed securities.

He cautioned his listeners that first mortgage bonds are only as good as the security behind them, and pointed out that two things are to be taken into consideration, the utility of the property and the ability of the corporation to make it pay. A lease hold bond is very dangerous at best, Mr. Van Vonderen said, for when a building is erected on property which is only leased from the owner, if the corporation can-

## Mrs. H. Pasch Named Head of E.M.B.A. Unit

MRS. HAROLD PASCH was elected president of Delta chapter, Employees Mutual Benefit association, succeeding Mrs. Hillard Weiss, at a meeting Thursday afternoon at Odd Fellow hall. Other officers elected were Mrs. Andrew Kangas, vice-president; Mrs. Ervin Bogan, secretary; Mrs. Lawrence Palm, treasurer; Mrs. Hillard Weiss, first director; and Mrs. Lloyd Koehnke, second director.

Mrs. Pasch filled the appointive offices as follows: Mrs. Albert Fenz, color bearer; Mrs. Albert Sanderfoot, conductress; Mrs. Fred Wiese, chaplain; Mrs. Leonard Ney, pianist; and Mrs. Walter Nissen, guard. The organization will have its annual banquet Jan. 26 at Hotel Appleton.

Standing committees for the year were appointed at the meeting of Knights of Pythias last evening at Castle hall. The finance committee includes E. E. Cahail, Andrew Tschank and Edwin Wilton, the sick committee consists of Earl Ballard, Victor Schmidt and Abraham Sigman, the auditing committee is Homer Bowby, Joseph Cox and William Eschner and the lunch committee includes Charles Young, Harvey Johnson, Elmer Kranzusch, Clarence Manser, Lawrence Brinkman and William Engel.

On the entertainment committee is John Bonini, Earl Miller, Victor Schmidt and Earl Ballard, and the home show committee consists of Herman F. Heckert, Robert O. Schmidt, George Nolting, Elmer Root, Earl Miller, Earl Ballard and Malcolm Fraser.

Next Thursday the rank of esquire will be conferred. Thirty members attended the meeting last night.

Plans for attending an eighth district meeting of Veterans of Foreign Wars auxiliaries Jan. 22 at New London were discussed at the meeting of Harvey Pierre auxiliary last night at Eagle hall. The sessions will open at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, and there will be a banquet and dance. An open card party was planned for Jan. 19 with Mrs. Robert Olson, Mrs. Reinhold Pasch and a group of volunteers in charge.

Two candidates were initiated last evening. Fifty-two members attended and hostesses for the social were Mrs. Charles Thompson, chairman; Mrs. Marie Van Rossum, Mrs. Howard Van Ooyen and Mrs. Fred Volkman. Prizes were won at schafskopf by Mrs. M. Van Weel, at bridge by Mrs. Lena Pierce and at rummy by Mrs. Jerry Rasmussen. Mrs. Ernest Mueller received the special prize.

A joint social with the post will take place Jan. 16 with Mrs. Max Buske in charge.

Shorewood Party to Provide Coed Funds But Not for Books

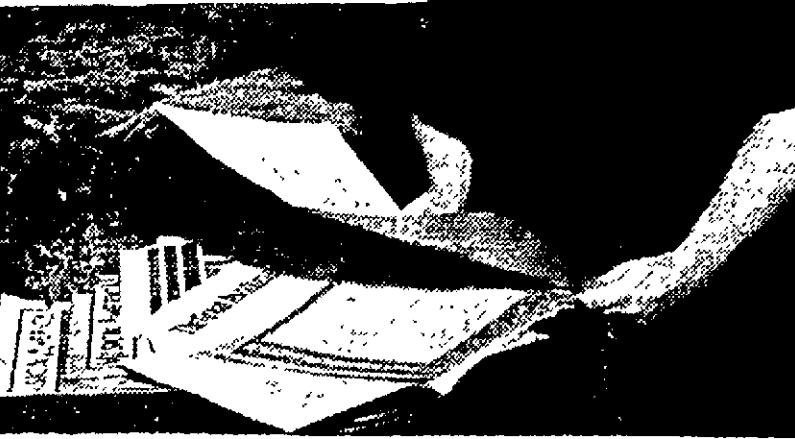
Some fortunate Lawrence college coed who is working her way through school will benefit from the bridge party which will be given by the Shorewood, Wis., Lawrence club Jan. 23 at the Shorewood High school.

The girl who receives the money will be instructed to use it as personal spending money, the committee in charge has announced. "She is to splurge on some luxuries that make the difference between existing and living, and if she is caught buying books or slipping a dollar home she will incur our wrath."

Miss Marian Vidal is chairman of the party, and Mrs. Donald Hyde, Mrs. Charles Hooley and Mrs. Perry Powell are assisting her.

## MOVES TO APPLETON FROM OHIO

Mrs. H. T. Metcalf, who arrived in Appleton shortly before Christmas to make her home at 821 E. Hancock street, was active in musical circles in Canton, Ohio, her former home. She served as president of MacDowell club there for two terms during which time the MacDowell Music Settlement school, a school of underprivileged children showing marked talent in music, was established. She is a contralto and has sung on the radio and with the Akron Civic Opera League, and was contralto soloist with Chautauqua for a number of years. (Post-Crescent Photo.)



### Metcalfs, Formerly of Canton, Ohio, Now Appleton Residents

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Metcalf, formerly of Canton, Ohio, have recently come to Appleton to reside and are making their home at 824 E. Hancock street. Mr. Metcalf is the Wisconsin representative of the Beach Manufacturing company of Charlotte, Mich. Their 16-year-old son, William, is a student at Western Reserve academy, Hudson, Ohio.

Mrs. Metcalf, a contralto, was active in musical circles in Canton, having served as president of MacDowell club for two terms from 1936 to 1938. She also served on the board of the Ohio Federation of Music clubs.

### Mrs. James Grode Is Guest of Honor at Post-Nuptial Party

Mrs. Frank Barnum and Miss Marilla Terrien entertained at a linen shower Thursday night at the latter's home on Nicolet boulevard, Menasha, in honor of Mrs. James Grode, who was Miss Helen Plowright before her recent marriage.

The evening was spent playing bridge, with prizes going to Miss Alice Strong, Miss Annette Plank and Miss Anna Jane Grode.

Miss Rosella Paulowski, 493 N. Oneida street, was honored at a miscellaneous shower given last night at the home of Mrs. Herman Frederick, 1032 S. Kerner avenue. Thirty-five persons were present. Cards, rekop and dice were played, and at rekop going to Miss Mary Grishaber and Mrs. Paul Grishaber; at schafskopf to Mrs. Arthur Noffke, Mrs. Don Neubauer and Miss Beatrice Fredericks; and at dice to William Fredericks and Lloyd Newhouse. Miss Ruth Noffke won the special prize. Miss Paulowski will be married Feb. 4 to Andrew Fredericks.

A surprise kitchen shower was given by Mrs. Melvin Wegner and Miss Winifred Milhaupt last night at the Wegner home, 819 W. Commercial street, in honor of Miss Rosemary Reiter who will be married soon to Melvin Aul. The table was decorated in blue and white.

The guests were the Misses Rita Rechner, Esther Kurth, Beth Robbins, Eunice Oestreich and Dorothy Kraft. Mrs. Donald Alferi, Mrs. R. Peterson, Mrs. Kenneth Schmid and Mrs. Jack Schroeder.

### High School Orchestra Will Go on Sleighride

The Appleton High school orchestra will hold its annual party Saturday night in the school cafeteria. Members of the band will meet at 7:30 at Roosevelt school for an hour's sleighride and then will have lunch and dancing at the senior school. Jay J. Williams, orchestra director, will be in charge of the group.

### WOMEN'S and MISSES' Winter Coats \$19.75-\$29.75-\$42.75 Were \$29.75-\$49.75-\$59.75 GEENEN'S

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## Two Lawrence Sororities to Hold Parties

TWO sorority dances, one of them a masquerade ball, top the social calendar at Lawrence college this weekend. The costume ball will entertain members of Delta Gamma sorority and their guests at Castle hall and has been planned by the sorority in place of its usual winter formal.

Alpha Delta Pi sorority will entertain at a formal dance Saturday night at the Masonic temple. Miss Betty Gallup, Elmhurst, Ill., social chairman of the sorority, is in charge of arrangements for the affair. Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Heselton and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Beck have been asked to act as chaperons.

Charles Larson, Green Bay, who was graduated from Lawrence college last June, will show movies to him last summer on a 3-month tour of Sweden, England and Norway and France at the open house which Sigma Phi Epsilon fraternity will give from 2:30 to 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Guests

will be entertained with stunts by Charles Van Dell, Fond du Lac, and Wesley Perschbacher, West Bend, and an old-fashioned taffy pull. Miss Dorothy Betherum, Miss Dorothy Waples, Miss Edna Wiegand and Miss Anne Jones will act as chaperones.

Two informal parties are planned for this afternoon at the Pan-Hellenic house. At 4 o'clock this afternoon Kappa Delta sorority will entertain at an informal get-together in its chapter rooms. Alumnae and patronesses of the sorority have been invited to attend. Miss Marion Schmidt and Miss Marion Binzel, both of Milwaukee, are in charge of arrangements.

Miss Florence Chapman, Hinsdale, Ill., and Miss Dorothy Ballou, Menomonie, are co-chairmen of the pledge party to be given by Zeta Tau Alpha sorority today at the Pan-Hellenic house.

### Mrs. Warren Hostess To T. N. T. Bridge Club

Mrs. Carolyn Warren, 716 W. Packard street, entertained the T. N. T. Bridge club Thursday night at her home. Honors at the game went to Mrs. Claude Greisich and Miss Dorothy Leisinger. The club's next meeting will be at Miss Leisinger's home on N. Harriman street.

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## Auxiliary of Legion Will Hear Lawyer

WILLIAM L. CROW, Appleton attorney, will speak on "National Legislation Proposed by the American Legion" at the January meeting of American Legion auxiliary at 7:45 Monday night at Legion club house. This will be the annual legislative program of the auxiliary. A social hour will follow the meeting.

Mrs. H. W. Miller, department president, is attending the annual child welfare conference of Area D today and Saturday in Milwaukee. This afternoon's session is open to all welfare agencies interested in child work, and is a joint meeting with the legion. Saturday afternoon the auxiliary will hold an individual session. Speakers include Francis D. Scully, Chicago, Area D child welfare chairman of the Legion; Mrs. Alexander Fraser, St. Paul, auxiliary child welfare chairman for Area D; Miss Emma Pushner, Indianapolis, Ind., director of child welfare for the Legion; and Mrs. M. K. Elbertson, Milwaukee, national child welfare chairman. Mrs. Miller will extend greetings for the department of Wisconsin.

Mrs. Lloyd Bungert, 508 W. Parkway boulevard, entertained her bridge club Thursday night, prizes going to Mrs. C. J. Tierney and Miss Betty Dietzen. In two weeks Miss Dietzen, W. Rogers avenue, will be hostess.

Mrs. Elmer Harlowe was hostess to the Casa Bridge club Thursday at her home on W. College avenue. Winners at bridge were Mrs. A. Gerharz, Miss Sara Westberg and Mrs. Otto Ertl, and Miss Westberg was also awarded the traveling prize. Mrs. Merrill Hopkins will be hostess to the club in three weeks.

Mrs. John Beaulieu, 120 W. Foster street, entertained the Thursday club yesterday at her home. Prizes at schafskopf were won by Mrs. Beaulieu and Mrs. Peter Dietzen. Mrs. Lewis Nelson, 430 E. Lincoln street, will be hostess to the club next week.

Mrs. R. G. Mayrand, N. Clark street, entertained her bridge club Wednesday night at her home. Mrs. Beecher Wolfgang won the traveling prize. In two weeks the club will meet with Mrs. Jack Falcus, 218 S. Summit street.

Mrs. Herb Heiling and Mrs. William Gallaher won the prizes at bridge when Mrs. Guy Barlow entertained her club Wednesday afternoon at her home on E. Roosevelt street. Mrs. Carl Bertram will be hostess to the group in two weeks.

**Carl Schoof Seated As High Priest of Royal Arch Chapter**

Harold E. Helbing was installing officer and Lacey Horton chaplain for the installation of officers of Appleton chapter, Royal Arch Masons, last night at Masonic temple. Carl H. Schoof was seated as excellent high priest and others included Willis Elster, king; Paul Hanneman, scribe; William H. Roock, secretary; Arthur W. Hoffmann, treasurer; C. D. Thompson, captain of the host; H. B. Leith, principal sojourner; Arthur Council, royal arch captain; Levi Buman, master of the third veil; Alvin Krabbe, master of the second veil; Ray Pusch, master of the first veil; Homer Benton, trustee; Meyer Shapiro, sentinel; Vilas Gehin, organist.

Ervin Grunden presented Harold E. Helbing, retiring high priest, with an engraved past high priest jewel on behalf of the chapter. Vilas Gehin played organ numbers and a social hour followed the meeting.

It was announced that Ward Rowbottom, Milwaukee, grand lecturer, will inspect the chapter Feb. 9 when the most excellent master degree will be exemplified. He will be at Oshkosh Monday night and several Appleton men will attend.

Committees were appointed to take charge of the chapter's activities at the carnival Jan. 18 to 21. The chapter will have charge of the dining room and lunch booth. Members will attend a special communication of Waverly Lodge, No. 51, at 1:15 Saturday afternoon to attend the funeral of the late William H. Burns.

**St. Matthew Ladies To Sponsor Supper**

A public hot-dish supper will be sponsored by St. Matthew Ladies Aid society Jan. 29 in the church basement, according to plans made at a meeting Thursday afternoon at the church parlors. Mrs. Albert Schulz will be chairman and her committee will include Mrs. Arnold Lopas, Mrs. Gust Schroeder and Mrs. Hester Vanderloos. The committee will meet Monday night at the Schroeder home en route to Appleton.

Hostesses for the February meeting will be Mrs. A. Delour, Mrs. William Brandt, Mrs. Clarence Brockman and Mrs. Dodge Bruch, and the visiting committee for next month will include Mrs. William Sommerfield, Mrs. Paul Stegert, Mrs. Ida Tracy and Mrs. Hester Vanderloos.

Miss Betty Weitengel, Wausau, has returned to her home after visiting Mrs. Betty Hill and Mrs. Ervin Jennerjahn for the last week.

## Vocational Teacher Is Wed at Cedarburg

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Gertrude Hilgen, former home economics instructor at Appleton Vocational school, to Norman F. Peterson, Knoxville, Tenn., which took place Sunday at Cedarburg, Wis. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Margaret Hilgen, Cedarburg. Mr. and Mrs. Peterson are making their home at La Salle, Ill. Both are graduates of Stout Institute, Menomonie, Wis.

**150 Young People at Second Skating Party**

About 150 young people attended the second roller skating party of the season given by Christian Endeavor society of Emmanuel Evangelical church last night at the armory. About 50 persons came from Bondul and Seymour, 20 from the Greenville and Center churches, 20 from Neenah and 10 from Forest Junction, the balance being from Appleton.

## High School Graduates Of Last Year Form Club

A new club was organized by a group of last year's graduates of Appleton High school Wednesday night at the home of Russell Kenny, 1016 W. Commercial street. Warren Choudoir was elected treasurer and Henry Stark secretary.

The club will be a social and forum group with a limit of 10 members. A chairman will preside at each of the weekly meetings.

## Books are Discussed At Meeting of A.A.U.W.

Waupaca — The Misses Constance Fraser, Esther Fliot and Mildred Price were hostesses when the Waupaca branch of the American Association of University Women met at the Anne of Green Gables tea room Tuesday evening. An unusually large crowd was present to hear Miss Sophie Kurkowsky of the high school faculty report on books which she had read. Among her reviews were the children's books from the Junior Literary Guild which are in the grade libraries of the Waupaca schools: "Copper Toes Books" by de Angelis, depicting life in Michigan in 1870; "Great Horse," by McFettrill, a story of the early man; "Red Coats of Castine," by Patterson; "Lonely Little Pix," by Harper; "Natalie," by Johnson, and "French Canada," by Boswell. Adult books which she reviewed were Van Doren's "Benjamin Franklin"; James, "Andrew Jackson," "DaVinci," by Valentinni; "Fannie Kemble," by Armstrong. Also reviewed were "Philosopher's Holiday," "Malice Toward Some," "School for Barbarians," and "Epic of America" by Adams. She also examined "Bartlett's Quotations," a new edition by Morley.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES

Application for a marriage license has been made at the office of John E. Hantschel, Outagamie county clerk by McEvin R. Aul Appleton and Rosemary A. Reiter, Appleton.

## Congregation Votes to Urge Peace Parade

A RESOLUTION similar to one which was adopted by the Social Action Forum of First Congregational church earlier this week was adopted by the congregation at the annual meeting and dinner of the Congregational church last evening, and a copy has been sent to the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America in New York City. It reads as follows: "Confronted with the threat of world war between the fascist and democratic states, we, the members of the First Congregational church of Appleton, Wisconsin, respectfully and earnestly petition the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America to take at once the necessary steps toward the calling of a world conference of the several branches of the Christian church, including the Roman Catholic, for the purpose of considering the economic and other problems which are now driving the nations toward war, and of seeking, under God's guidance, a peaceful solution of those issues which threaten to destroy western civilization.

"We record further our determination to implement this petition with financial support to the council and hereby vote to take an offering for such a purpose on Sunday Jan. 22."

Over 175 persons attended the dinner and meeting last night. Annual reports were given, showing that for the first time in several years the church closed the season with no debts and a slight balance in the treasury. During the last 12 months the church received \$6,000 in two bequests of \$3,000 each.

Twelve persons have been members of the church continuously for at least 50 years, namely F. J. Harwood, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Bushey, Dr. James Reeve, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Thompson, Miss Jessie Mory, Mrs. Anna Whirry, Mrs. Anna Hoble, Mrs. Jessie Nichols, Mrs. Nellie Harriman and Mrs. Katherine Walker.

## Mrs. Paul Nyhus Dies In Argentina Hospital

Waupaca — Friends of Paul Nyhus — Waupaca county agricultural agent 16 years ago and now located in Buena Ayres where he is engaged in federal agricultural service, have received word of the death of his wife, Jean. Mrs. Nyhus died Christmas day after an emergency operation. Three small children survive with their father.

Mr. and Mrs. Nyhus visited the United States in September at which time Mr. Nyhus who was traveling by automobile, visited his Waupaca friends. Mrs. Nyhus traveled by train and spent some time in northern Wisconsin with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Nyhus met in China where she was the daughter of a missionary and he was engaged in government service for five years.

## Dim Lights for Safety

# Movieland Its People and Products



Paul Muni and John Garfield — brilliant newcomer to Hollywood — meet on the lot and powwow about old times — which are not so 'old' at that for John is in his middle twenties. When Muni was starring on the Broadway stage in "Counselor at Law" he saw to it that a persistent, whiskered-faced kid got a 'bit' in the play. The kid kept on, appeared in many plays and was the lead in "Golden Boy" when the talent scout saw him and whisked him to the Coast. His screen debut in "Four Daughters" caused such a furor that he was given the principal role in "Blackwell's Island" and is being starred in "They Made Me a Criminal." Muni's next starring vehicle is "Juarez" — story of the empire-building misadventures of Maximilian and Carlotta in Mexico and of the Mexican patriot, Juarez.

By Jimmie Fidler

for a second picture are premature — RKO is waiting to see the public's reaction to his first ...

Errol Flynn and Lili Damita will attend the President's Ball in New York before going on that South American trip ... It's a Honolulu loll for Leslie Howard ... Claire Trevor's New York "vacation" is more business than pleasure — she's shopping for a radio program ... Georgiana Young, fourteen-year-old sister of Loretta, is asking Twentieth Century-Fox to let her take a pseudonym — she doesn't want to trade on Loretta's fame ... That illness of John King's is more serious than first reports indicated — simple influenza has become lobar pneumonia ... Looks like that long-promised Chaplin satire on dictators will go into production immediately — new equipment is being installed today in the old Chaplin studio ... Blue-pencil that Doris Carson-Jeffrey Lynn marriage — they're still dating but romance is definitely cold ... Best rib-tickler of the week: Walter Brennan's and H. C. Potter's devastating satire on Sam Goldwyn and the President's No. 1 son ... Edmund Lowe has traded that Malibu mansion where he lived with Lil Tashman for a Hollywood apartment house ... Barbara Stanwyck will go to San Valley immediately on completion of her Union Pacific role, ostensibly for a snow-vacation — but don't be surprised if Bob Taylor meets her there and they return to Hollywood as Mr. and Mrs. ... It's an adventure in big-time ranching for Joel McCrea — he's just bought a herd of Arizona beef cattle ... Many happy returns to Kay Francis — celebrating her thirty-third birthday today ...

I can't recall another case which proves so conclusively that actresses are born, not made. True, she

played in pictures when she was a six-year-old child, and she has had radio experience, but her training has been hap-hazard, totally unlike the painstaking schooling advocated by most dramatic coaches.

Real-life experience certainly gave her no background knowledge of the role she plays in "Jesse James."

Nancy, as carefully sheltered a seventeen-year-old as you could

find outside of a convent, has had a happy, normal life completely lacking in emotional jolts. Yet, in this picture, she plays the wife of a hunted outlaw, so torn by fear, shame and love that she prays to die in child-birth.

Give Henry King, the director, all the credit due him and you'll still be amazed — as I was — that any girl who has

neither been extensively trained, nor buffeted about by life,

could give such a role the deep sincerity and conviction that Nancy Kelly gives it. There's just one conclusion possible: some people have an inborn ability to understand and express emotion. You're going to be cheering for Nancy for years to come.

After three years in pictures, Bob Burns had his first chance this week to qualify as a "Great Lover." It was a scene

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BOOS AND BOUQUETS: Best

picture of the week is "Jesse James" and a special laurel wreath to those responsible for the beauty of its Technicolor photography ... Poison ivy nosegays to the busybodies who are trying to promote, with trumped up rumors, a rift between Jeanette MacDonald and Gene Raymond ... A floral offering to the five Universal executives who are anonymously supporting a family of San Fernando Valley indigents by making jobs for them in all their pictures ... And a fine performance award to John Barrymore for his comedy in "The Great Man Votes" ...

MISS MARTHA VANDEN HEUVEL

entertained the members of the Nighthawk club at her home Wednesday evening in honor of her birthday anniversary. Cards provided amusement and prizes were awarded.

Mrs. Anna Haunmen and Mrs. Philip Molitor. The special prize was won by Mrs. Henry Van Sustern. The guests were Mrs. Albert Vandenberg, Mrs. Philip Molitor, Mrs. Henry Van Sustern, Mrs. A. P. Rock, Mrs. Catherine Arts and Mrs. Anna Hammen.

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entertained the members of the Nighthawk club at her home Wednesday evening. Cards and games were played and a musical program was present by Miss Julia Vanden Heuvel. Lunch was served.

The guests were Lucille Timmers, Patty Hietpas, Harriet Winius, Blanche Vanden Heuvel, Paul Hietpas, Raymond Schumacher, Arthur Hietpas, Herbert Smith, Joseph Vanden Heuvel and Peter Schumacher.

R. H. Williams is spending a three months' vacation in Portland Ore., Vancouver and Los Angeles.

Lee Gloudemann, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Gloudemann, is confined to his home because of illness.

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## Revenue, Sale of Water Decreases At Neenah in 1938

City Plant Collects \$44,204.10 Last Year

Neenah — Revenue for the sale of water by the Neenah water works during 1938 amounted to \$44,204.10, a decrease of \$7,011.38 in comparison with 1937, according to the annual report of City Clerk H. S. Zemlock. The revenue during 1937 amounted to \$51,215.48.

The clerk also reported a decrease amounting to 4,321,750 gallons in metered water sales during 1938 as compared with the preceding year. Metered water sales last year amounted to 129,899,300 as compared to 134,321,050 for 1937.

There were decreases in revenue in all of the four divisions, while there were increases in the amount of metered water sales in the residential and commercial divisions and decreases in the industrial and municipal.

The percentage of pumpage to metered water, however, increased more than 7 per cent, the percentage last year amounting to 751 and 68 for the 1937.

The pumpage during 1938 amounted to 172,902,000 gallons, while it was 198,234,000 gallons during 1937.

Revenues Down

The decrease in revenue obtained from the residential division last year in comparison to 1937 amounted to \$3,650.25, the revenue for 1938 having amounted to \$28,987.15 while for the preceding year it was \$33,637.40. There was a decrease of only \$692.44 in the commercial division, the revenue for 1938 amounting to \$6,482.64 and for 1937 it was \$7,385.08. There was a larger decrease in the amount of revenue secured from the industrial division, the decrease amounting to \$1,729.07. The revenue for 1938 from this division was \$5,898.59 and for 1937 it was \$7,627.65. The decrease from the municipal division amounted to \$729.61. The amount of revenue from that division last year amounted to \$1,835.73 and for 1937 it was \$2,565.34.

The increase in the amount of metered water sales in the residential division last year as compared with 1937 amounted to 1,473,650 gallons. During 1938 in that division metered water sales amounted to \$71,415.600 as compared to 69,491.950 for the preceding year.

The boost in the commercial section amounted to 2,037,050 gallons. During 1938 metered water sales totaled 22,538,400 as compared with 20,501,350 during the preceding year.

**Industrial Decrease**

There was a decrease in metered water sales in the industrial division amounting to 6,404,150 gallons, the amount of water sold during 1938 in that division being 29,498,600 as compared with 34,902,750 during the preceding year. The decrease in the municipal division was 1,426,300, the amount during 1938 being 7,546,700 and during the preceding year 8,975,000.

The amount of revenue collected during the four quarters was about even, the clerk reported. It was: First \$11,881.37, second \$10,524.28, third \$11,451.12, and fourth \$10,367.33. The revenue from each division during the fourth quarter which includes October, November and December, was as follows: residential \$6,994.79, commercial \$1,619.57, industrial \$1,334.12, and municipal \$418.85.

There were corresponding differences in the amount of water sold during the four quarters. The amount for each quarter was: First 28,915,350 gallons, second 33,617,400 gallons, third 36,144,600 gallons, and fourth 31,221,950 gallons. The amount of water sold in each division during the fourth quarter was as follows: Residential 16,768,050, commercial 6,327,700, industrial 6,537,500, and municipal 1,670,800.

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## Appleton Man Tells Of 5,000-Mile Trip In Northern Canada

Neenah — Karl M. Haugen, Appleton, described and showed colored moving pictures of a trip into northern Canada at the noon meeting of the Neenah Rotary club Thursday at the Valley Inn.

Haugen said his trip covered more than 5,000 miles by train, car, canoe and walking. He told about posts owned by the Hudson Bay company, some of which are conducted the same as 250 years ago.

The company still uses 600 dogs, 1,200 canoes and has 225 posts scattered throughout the northern wasteland.

The trip took the Appleton man to Churchill which he said is as far north from Neenah as Mexico City is as far south. There are only 12 white families in the town, and the town is 500 miles north of the nearest tree. The only vegetation is moss, and the barrens are permanently frozen eight inches below the moss.

He related a thrilling experience of hunting a whale in a canoe which was about 25 feet long with a 7-foot beam. The canoe, he said, was powered by an outboard motor boat.

## Alma Powers Sets Pace for League

### Cracks Pins for 540 Series: Waverly Beach Boosts Lead

#### Women's League

Standings:	W.	L.
Waverly Beach	35	13
Twin City Cleaners	33	15
Hewitt Machines	29	19
Calvert Specials	27	21
Drakehins	26	22
Neenah Banks	26	22
Klinke Grocery	22	25
Neenah Papers	16	32
Buxton Autos	16	32
Woolworths	10	38

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## Pleads Not Guilty to Non-Support Charge

Menasha — James McEvilly, 440 Nicolet boulevard, Menasha, pleaded not guilty to a charge of non-support in superior court at Madison yesterday. Judge Roy H. Proctor continued the case to Feb. 10 and ordered McEvilly to pay \$5 each week starting Saturday. Of that sum \$3 will be for support and \$2 to apportion on costs of \$26.10. McEvilly was taken into custody by Neenah police for Madison officials.

## 2 Minor Fires Prompt Calls for Department

Menasha — Neenah firemen answered two calls, one at 1:15 Thursday afternoon to extinguish a blaze in the Kramer's Meat Market smoke house and the second at 4:15 this morning to put out a chimney fire at the Burstein and Sons company warehouse, E. Wisconsin avenue. There was no damage done by either fire.

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## Company E Plans Second Reunion For February 11

### Officers of Menasha World War Unit Begin Preparations

Menasha — Members of Company E, Fourth Wisconsin Infantry, Menasha World War unit, will hold their second annual reunion on Saturday night, Feb. 11, in the Polish Falcons hall. Officers of the organization started preliminary plans for the reunion at a meeting Tuesday night.

The officers, who were elected at the first reunion a year ago, are Russ Lornson, president; Steve Kolasinski, vice president; Henry Jankowski, secretary and Raymond Henk, treasurer. Directors are Anton Romnek, E. J. Hill, Clyde Melcher, L. A. Remmel and Lawrence Zielinski.

The reunion held last Feb. 12 was the first gathering of the soldiers since the company was disbanded at the conclusion of its war service. The company left Menasha in August of 1917 on the first leg of the trip to Europe. About 100 members of the company attended the reunion last year.

Anton Romnek was the originator of the reunion idea and plans have been formed to make the reunion an annual event. Last year N. G. Remmel, mayor of Menasha when the company left for the war, was the chief speaker. Waldo Friedland conducted a memorial service for the deceased members of the company. Richard Hill, former captain of the company, was one of several speakers who gave short talks.

Musical numbers and drawing of pictures also were included in the program. C. B. Anderson was the chairman of the banquet committee. A similar program will be arranged for the reunion this year.

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## Red Rockets, Jays To Clash Tonight

Neenah — Favored to Cop Decision in Menasha High School Gym

Menasha — Neenah high school cagers will invade the Menasha high school gymnasium tonight for the first meeting of the Twin City rivals this season. Last year the two teams broke even in two games.

The doors will open at 6 o'clock tonight. Reserve teams of the two schools will meet in a preliminary game at 7 o'clock while the main event is scheduled for 8 o'clock. Sections of bleachers were erected on the main floor of the gymnasium Thursday afternoon.

Menasha high school students held a pep session this afternoon under the direction of Franklyn LeFevre, vocal music supervisor. The Menasha band played several selections. The cheer leaders led yell for the team, Coach N. A. Calder and just yell to stir up enthusiasm. The pep session concluded with the Menasha High school song.

Coach N. A. Calder will start Anderson and Landskron at forwads, Harry Zelinski at center and William Resch and Clarence Zelinski at guards. Probable Neenah starters are Hackstock and Peterson at forwads, Dan Schmidt at center, Warren Kettlering and Hesseman at guards.

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## Washington School Teachers Fete Miss McDermott at Party

Neenah — Miss Helen McDermott, who has resigned as instructor of the second grade in the Washington school, will be guest of honor at a 6:30 dinner party at the Valley Inn Monday evening when the teachers of the Washington school entertain in her honor. Mrs. Laura Ulery, Miss Janet Menning, Miss Hester Feller are members of the hostess committee. Mrs. Ulery is chairman of the dinner, Miss Helen Greenwood and Miss Mary Winger are in charge of table decorations and place cards, Miss Marian Mainland and Miss Phyllis Furman of cards, Miss Edithna Wilson, Miss Elvira Ramthun and Miss Feller of prizes, Miss Menning and Miss Carrie Anderson, gift, expense tabulation, Miss Menning and Miss Feller, All

### Wisconsin Paper Group to Name New Officers Saturday

Neenah — Officers of the Wisconsin Paper Group will be elected at the annual meeting Saturday afternoon at the Valley Inn.

The officers are R. M. Sensenbrenner, Whiting Paper company, Menasha, president; W. K. Austin, Neenah, Kimberly-Clark corporation, vice president; L. O. Schubert, Neenah, Neenah Paper company, secretary-treasurer, and Irwin Pearson, executive secretary.

Members of the executive committee are N. H. Bergstrom, Neenah, Bergstrom Paper company; W. K. Gerbier, Menasha, Central Paper company; T. M. Gilbert, Neenah, Gilbert Paper company; E. C. Hiltner, Appleton, Riverside Paper company; C. W. Hooper, Peshtigo, Badger Paper Mills incorporated; H. J. Sund, Menasha, Menasha Products; H. E. Wake, Wisconsin Rapids, Consolidated Water Power and Paper company, and F. E. Heinritz, Appleton, Appleton Coated Paper company.

### E. Zicinski Scores 558 Series for High In Marathon League

Marathon Girls League

Standings: W. L.

Prestix 27 15  
Parafilm 24 18  
Home Packets 24 18  
Napkins 23 19  
Waxtex 23 19  
Cartons 21 21  
Sav-a-Ran 16 26  
Snappy Packets 10 32

Menasha — E. Zicinski scored a 558 series in the Marathon Girls league at the Hendy alleys Thursday night and hit two counts over the 200 mark. She rolled lines of 151, 202 and 205.

High single game was a 207 by M. Hesselman who had a 542 series. V. Hammill had the second high series with 552. Other high series included P. Bednarowski 538, H. Loescher 510, M. Tegge 504, J. Zeliska 510.

Prestix bowlers went on a scoring spree to eclipse all other teams.

The Prestix team had games of 862, 921 and 917 for a 2,700 total.

Results last night: Prestix (3) 862 921 917  
Sav-a-Raps (0) 741 714 713  
Cartons (2) 792 767 723  
Snappy Packets (1) 688 745 726

Waxtex (2) 729 778 756  
Parafilm (1) 768 719 730

Home Packets (2) 738 786 775  
Napkins (1) 746 736 759

Man Is Fined \$25, Costs  
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Post-Crescent Oshkosh Bureau  
Oshkosh — Victor Hammer, route 3, Appleton, changed his plea

### Daily Cross-Word Puzzle

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## Two 1-Act Plays to Feature Nicolet School PTA Meeting

Menasha — Two 1-act plays will feature the program of the Nicolet school Parent-Teacher association Tuesday evening in the school gymnasium as a group from the PTA and members of the Missionary Circle of the Trinity Lutheran church entertain the association with the two comedies. "Two Old Maids in a Tub" will be presented by the Circle with Miss Bertha and Miss Louise Braatz taking the roles of the old maids. Mrs. A. Lenz is the mother of "Little Bobby." Mrs. H. Melchert as the minister and Mrs. William Karrow as the gossiping neighbor. The cast for the other play includes Mrs. Ira Catlin, Mrs. Robert Rogers, Mrs. Charles Ballan.

The second of a series of talks in the "Courtship and Marriage" course sponsored by the Twin City Y. W. C. A. with Miss Almee Zillmer, social hygienist of the state board of health, as the speaker will be presented at 7:30 this evening in the "Y." Miss Zillmer will discuss "The Marriage."

Menasha Lodge of Odd Fellows Maps Wildey Night Plans

Menasha — Plans for the celebration of Wildey night next Wednesday evening have been completed by the Menasha lodge of Odd Fellows. Richard Van Wyk, grand trustee from Appleton, will be the guest speaker.

Members of the order will take part in a question bee based on Odd Fellowship. The winner will receive a prize. A luncheon will be served after the meeting under the direction of Marvin Sorensen, H. L. Wilson, Emil Daniels, Leslie Goodrich, Arthur Dahms, E. C. Heuer, Ray Hoffman, George Waters and Ed Fox.

The Odd Fellows also will entertain at a box social and dance on Saturday night, Jan. 21. All Odd Fellows, Rebekahs and their friends have been invited. Invitations also have been sent to all lodges of the district. A Kaukauna orchestra has been engaged to provide music for dancing and cards also will be played.

to guilty of heedless and careless driving and was fined \$25 and costs by Judge S. J. Luchsinger in municipal court this morning. The judge remitted payment of \$10 of the fine and Hammer promised to pay Saturday. He was arrested on County Trunk P in the town of Menasha by county officers.

## Neenah Fire Truck Slides on Pavement, Hits Switching Train

Menasha — The Neenah fire department's hook and ladder truck was damaged when involved in a collision with a Chicago and North Western switch train at the N. Commercial street crossing near the hall of St. John's church as women of the parish entertained at a card party. Andy Naleway, Mrs. Ben Dryer, Frank Gavinski, Mrs. Martin Waskiewicz and Mrs. Peter Waskiewicz won prizes in rummy. Mrs. T. Beachofski and James Omachinski won prizes in whist. Mrs. Anna Schreiber and Mrs. Arthur West won the bridge honors.

A switch engine was switching cars, blocking the crossing. The fire truck approached the crossing at a slow rate of speed but was unable to stop because of the slippery street. The radiator and headlight on the truck were damaged. Another truck was called to the fire. It was a chimney fire at the home of Arnold Runde, 210 Second street. The fire caused no damage.

Ed Tietz, Mrs. Joseph Krysiak, Mrs. Frank Holewinski, C. Stepanski, Walter Schreiber and Mike Jakowski won honors in schafskopf Thursday evening in the school hall of St. John's church as women of the parish entertained at a card party. Andy Naleway, Mrs. Ben Dryer, Frank Gavinski, Mrs. Martin Waskiewicz and Mrs. Peter Waskiewicz won prizes in rummy. Mrs. T. Beachofski and James Omachinski won prizes in whist. Mrs. Anna Schreiber and Mrs. Arthur West won the bridge honors.

Mrs. H. L. Sherman, 736 Eighth street, entertained at a dessert bridge party in honor of retiring officers of the Menasha chapter.

Order of Eastern Star, Thursday evening. Four tables of cards were in play with prizes awarded Mrs. H. Giebel, Mrs. Irving Merrill, Mrs. Nellie Hutchins and Mrs. J. W. Herrbold.

Holzman Announces Program of Courses For Second Semester

Menasha — Changes in curriculum at Neenah High school from the first to the second semester were reported today by Principal J. H. Holzman. The second semester begins Jan. 20.

A course in written English will be substituted for freshman oral English next semester, and Miss Ruth Chaimson and Miss Helen Peterson will be the instructors.

Freshman and sophomore classes in cooking will be changed to sewing next semester and Miss Jeanette Hanson will be the teacher. Third drafting classes will be changed to woodworking under Armin Gerhardt and three woodworking classes will be shifted to drafting under Carl Christensen and Clarence Brendendal. Lawrence Blume will teach general business administration in place of commercial law and solid geometry will be taught in place of advanced algebra. Miss Vida E. Smith will be the teacher.

Officers, Directors

Of Bank are Reelected

Menasha — Officers and directors of the bank of Menasha were reelected at the annual meeting Thursday afternoon in the bank. Reports on the progress of the bank during the year were heard. R. J. Feweger was reelected president while Ben Flory was renamed vice president and H. C. Kosloske was again named cashier.

The directors, all of whom were reelected, are Ben Flory, D. L. Kimberly, A. F. Weber, F. E. Strange, C. A. Loescher, F. E. Sensenbrenner and R. J. Feweger.

Twin City Deaths

SAGERT FUNERAL

Menasha — Funeral services for Mrs. Paul Sagert, who died Thursday morning following a brief illness, will be held at 1:30 Saturday afternoon at the residence, 203 Mathewson street, Menasha, and at 2 o'clock at the First Evangelical church, Menasha. The Rev. Carl F. Schieltz will conduct the services. Burial will be in Oak Hill cemetery, Menasha.

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## Menasha Youth Given 1-3 Years In Reformatory

Willard Allen, 20, sentenced in Theft of \$433 From Theater

Post-Crescent Oshkosh Bureau

Oshkosh — Willard Allen, 20, 418

water street, Menasha, who Mon-

day pleaded guilty of larceny and

breaking and entering in the day-

time, this morning was sentenced

by Municipal Judge S. J. Luchs-

singer to serve two concurrent

terms of 1 to 3 years in the Wis-

consin State Reformatory at Green

Bay.

Allen, a former employee of the

Brin theater at Menasha, Monday

confessed stealing \$433.84 from

the theater safe at 5:15 Saturday

afternoon. Menasha police found the

stolen money in a rag-covered box

behind Allen's home after they ar-

rested him on suspicion.

He was arraigned Monday morn-

ing, waived preliminary examina-

tion and pleaded guilty to both

counts. He was then jailed to await the court's decision. His sen-

tence began at noon today.

Allen Monday told police he un-

locked the front door of the thea-

ter and concealed himself in the

washroom until a theater doorman

Truman Schroeder, left the build-

ing. He then opened the safe and

took the money, he told police. Al-

len was discharged from the thea-

ter two weeks ago.

Menasha Is Praised for

Absence of Contagion

Menasha — Dr. V. A. Gudex of

the state health department report-

ed the absence of contagious dis-

ease in Menasha very satisfactory

in comparison with cities of simi-

lar size when he made an inspection

here Thursday.

Only one case of scarlet fever is

under quarantine in the city, ac-

cording to H. O. Haugh, city health



## 4-Rounder Holds Interest Tonight at Garden Program

Will Show Pat Comiskey, Hottest Novice Heavy In Country

BY GAYLE TALBOT  
NEW YORK—(7)—Patrick Edward Comiskey, an 18-year-old prodigy from Paterson, N. J., will make big-town boxing history tonight when he fights one Marty Lieberman of Newark in a four-rounder at Madison Square Garden.

What's history making about it is the fact Patrick Edward's four-rounder has been spotted in the semifinal position, right next to the feature 10-rounder between Tommy Farr, the ever-losing Welshman, and Red Durman of Baltimore. It is, furthermore, by popular demand.

Preceding Comiskey's duel will occur no fewer than two other 10-round heavyweight battles, Gus Dorazio of Philadelphia meeting Roscoe Toles of Detroit in one, and Buddy Knox of Dayton, Ohio, facing Nick Fiorentino of Philadelphia in the other. All this beef on the hoof has been forced to give way to the glamor boy from Paterson.

The oldest inhabitants say nothing like it has ever happened before, and chances are they are correct. Special permission from the boxing commission was necessary before the bout could be sandwiched between the three "main events."

### Pat Is Legend

Comiskey happens to be the hottest thing in the way of novice heavyweights in the country right now. At last official count he had scored seven straight one-round knockouts. His right-hand punch that stiffs every man it hits is becoming a legend.

Due to his tender years, Pat probably will not be permitted to fight a six-rounder before 1940. Promoter Mike Jacobs is predicting the sensational youngster will, before that, draw as high as \$2,500 for a four-round engagement.

Comiskey's first Garden appearance was on the Nova-Farr program a month ago. None except the earliest rivals saw him, for he batted his scared opponent out with the first lick he hit him, in the opening preliminary.

So many managers have tried to buy a piece of Comiskey that Bill Daly, who owns the boy, has set a price of \$40,000 for a half-interest, knowing full well that no manager has that much cash money.

## Plamann, Geske Top Freedom Loop

Roll 204, 548 Respectively in Women's League

### WOMEN'S LEAGUE

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Vi's Specials 2  
Dippy Doodles 1  
Jitter Bugs 1  
Merry Makers 1  
All Stars 1

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Jitter Bugs (1) 747 752 778-2278

Vi's Specials (2) 649 763 752-2164

Merry Makers (1) 675 709 707-2091

Dippy Doodles (2) 804 782 754-2340

All-Stars (1) 762 710 783-2255

Marcella Plamann whacked a 204 scratch game and Lydia Geske a 548 series as the Freedom Women's bowling league opened its second half competition in the Vandenberg alleys at Freedom.

The two high bowlers are both members of Mary's Pumpkins, a team that won two from the Jitter Bugs. Miss Plamann had another game of 164. Miss Geske scored 206 and 180 while reaching her top series, and Mary Vandenberg hit a 175. For the Jitter Bugs, Rita Murphy rolled 178 and 491 and Alice Murphy 181.

Mary Murphy bowled 160 and 458 as Vi's Specials took two from Merry Makers, led by Marie School who had 455. Lorain Eppinger shot 184 and 520, Margaret Randerson 185, and Helen Anderson 186 as the Dippy Doodles won two from All-Stars. For the losers, Kathryn Maulick pounded 187 and 504 and Mary School 182.

### Hockey Scores

By the Associated Press  
NATIONAL LEAGUE  
Toronto 9, Montreal 4.  
New York Rangers 6, Chicago 0.

## Col. Jacob Ruppert, Owner Of New York Yankees, Dies

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by the "Yankees" a 437-ton twin-screw, steel craft of luxurious appointments.

At one stage of his career he served four successive terms in the national house of representatives. At another he was interested in military affairs, served in the national guard and was a colonel on the staffs of two governors.

But it was as owner of the New York Yankees, boss of Miller Huggins, "Babe" Ruth and "Iron Man" Gehrig that Ruppert was most widely known.

For more than a dozen years various owners of the club had tried vainly to produce a winner before Ruppert and Col. T. L. Huston bought the outfit in 1915. The two colonels paid money into the expert brewing company. He went through Columbia grammar school and passed examinations for admission in the School of Mines of Columbia University. But at his father's request he went into the

## Light-Heavyweight Title May Go to Conn, Young Irisher With Educated Left Hand

BY DILLON GRAHAM  
NEW YORK—(7)—Billy Conn, a handsome young Irisher with a whip-snake left hand, may win the light-heavyweight championship the first time he tosses a punch in that class.

This overfed middleweight, up from the streets of a steel town, caught the fancy of Manhattan's fight fraternity by his stylish triumph over Fearless Freddy Apostoli.

The jab-and-hook critics tab the Pittsburgher as the finest prospect to come along in several years.

The quick-stabbing Irishman chose Apostoli, the world middleweight champion—by grace of the N. Y. boxing commission—as his rival for his Madison Square Garden debut, and won a close but clear 10-round decision.

Unless Apostoli sidetracks him over the 15-round rounds in their return match February 10 Conn probably will get a crack at the light-heavyweight title in April or May against Melio Bettina or Tiger Jack Fox, who squabble over that championship in February.

### A Growing Boy

The 21-year-old Conn has outgrown the middleweight division, and had an 8-pound shade over Apostoli. He doesn't plan to tarry long among the light-heavies, either. Billy is eating himself into the heavyweight group, where the big money lies.

He figures to take Bettina or Fox and when he adds another 20 pounds or so to his present 170 he may be a menace to Joe Louis. He and Lou Nova certainly are the best-looking youngsters of the day.

He is the speediest young big fellow to show around here in ages. There's no bob or weave about Billy. He's a standup fighter. A boxer rather than a puncher.

Conn's left flashes like a cobra striking. His left jab is a thing of beauty but it doesn't carry the authority that Louis' does. It serves him well in keeping his foe off balance and out of range.

Conn sides out, moving in and out and around and leaves himself a pretty hard target to locate.

### He's Smart, Too

For his age and experience he is unusually ring-wise. He gave Apostoli a nifty boxing lesson. He hasn't learned to handle himself against the webbing. And he doesn't take punishment any too well down stairs. Billy has plenty of the old moxie and fights back strongly after an opponent's flurry.

Conn is a good two-fisted fighter.

He doesn't carry much of a sleep-producing punch. He's had only seven knockouts in 50 fights since he started as a lightweight three years ago. But he won 34 by decision. In his brief career he's beaten nine chaps who have worn the middleweight crown—Babe Rizzo, Vince Dundee, Teddy Yarosz, Young Corbett, Solly Krieger and Apostoli.

Billy describes himself as a real Mick. His father, a steamfitter, was born in Belfast. His mother was a McFarland from County Down, Ireland.

Conn may find Apostoli a tougher customer at 15 rounds, but if he gets by Freddy again he'll probably grab the light-heavyweight crown (N. Y. state variety). Give him a year or so to put on more pounds and absorb more experience and he may trouble Joe Louis.



Billy Conn, young Pittsburgh Irishman, exhibits his fast, stinging left, much to Fred Apostoli's discomfort. Apostoli, recognized as middleweight champion in New York, wasn't quick enough to dodge many of Conn's southpaw shots like the one he's trying to duck above and Billy took a 10-round decision. They'll fight again February 10 at 15 rounds.

## Cliff'n Chatter

By Gordon R. McIntyre

MARION HIGH SCHOOL has been transferred from the Antigo Class C basketball tournament to the Iola meet. . . . Dito Roshoff . . . Bouncing tests of basketballs show that the sewed ball after 1,000 strokes is considerably out of shape and after 5,000 is lopsided and flat. . . . and after 25,000 strokes is unusable. . . . The molded ball stands the same tests with no noticeable change after 25,000 strokes. . . . But many coaches don't care about the molded ball because they feel it is too difficult to handle.

St. John High school of Little Chute will play Wrightstown on Jan. 16 at Little Chute with the proceeds going to the National Sports Council helping in the president's fight against infantile paralysis.

Frank Walsh, one-time golf pro at Butte des Morts and more recently at Bryn Mawr, Chicago, and last year at Bretton Woods, N. H., will be at Rumson Country club, Rumson, New Jersey, next season.

We're thinking only the best things about John M. Walter, Green Bay Press-Gazette sports editor, these days. . . . John has the flu and has been holding forth at St. Mary Hospital, Green Bay, for the last week. . . . And seeing John was in Appleton last Saturday night and sat around in Ralph Watts' Alexander gymnasium of Lawrence college—well, that's what we've often thought, too. . . . It may be cool enough for the cagers but a spectator usually needs a coat.

Forecast of sports page items you'll find in months to come—

Attempts to come back by practically every boxing champion of 1928. Every attempt will follow statements that the ex-champion had positively and finally retired.

Predictions by 16 major-league baseball managers that "We have strengthened our weak spots; we will bear watching this year."

Predictions by 50 football coaches that "we have lost too many veterans; we can't possibly be as strong as last year," after which their teams will have successful seasons.

Statement repeatedly made by Glenn Cunningham: "I positively am too ill to take another step," after which he will run some of the fastest miles in track history.

Predictions by 42,493 sports writers, who will be in agreement upon one thing: "The football season will come, roughly speaking, between October 1st and Thanksgiving day."

Photographs of 80 baseball pitchers rearing back with one foot kicked into the sky.

Discovery of the world's champion baseball fan: An individual who has failed to step outside Ebbets Field, home of the Brooklyn Dodgers, for 52 years.

Viewing-with-alarm of the collegiate football situation by (1) a foundation; (2) a college president, or (3) a sports writer who can't think of anything else to write a story about. It will be announced that football is a big business, and football players are sometimes known to receive emoluments therefrom.

Magazine article by oldtime college football player, who regrets to note that college football did not help his teammates become successes in life.

Magazine article by oldtime college football player, who is happy to note that college football did help his teammates become successes in life.

Paradoxical announcement by any promoter of a wrestling, boxing, football, basketball, tennis or ping-pong event, on the day before the big show: "An overflow crowd of enthusiasts will be on hand, but good seats are still available."

Cleaning-up of the football situation by 13 colleges, that seek "more on the field and fewer in the grandstand." After a general tightening of policy, that is what they will probably get.

Song from any holdout: "I won't sign for a cent less than \$40,000." After which he will sign for \$25,000, or else it will be disclosed he signed last winter in the first place.

Quotation from any wrestler: "I'm the undisputed world champion."

WOULD STOP BETTING

Lansing, Mich.—The house of representatives received yesterday a bill which would abolish parimutuel betting on horse races in Michigan. Under the present act such betting is restricted to race tracks, making bookmakers illegal.

The repeal measure was introduced by Representative Joseph E. Warner, Ypsilanti Republican, who said the state should be consistent and forbid gambling of all kinds.

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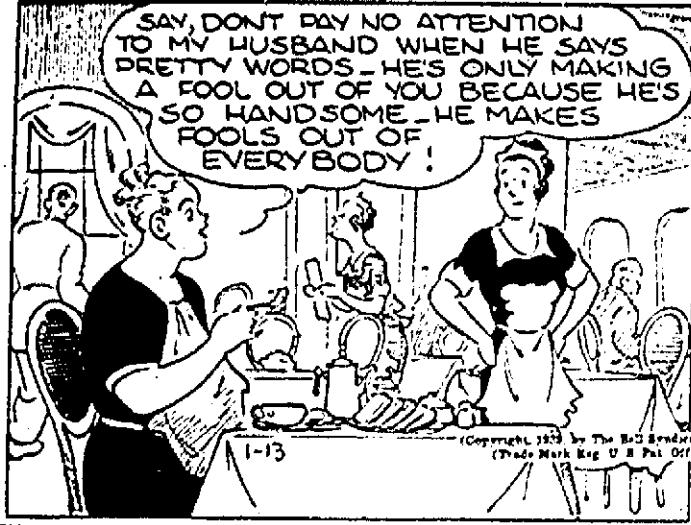
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## THE NEBBS



TILLIE THE TOILER



Andy's Dance Dishes Up More Damage



By SOL HESS

## UNCLE RAY'S CORNER

Story of Jerusalem  
V-MOHAMMEDANS AND BRITISH SOLDIERS

It is strange for one place to be a Holy City for people of three religions, but that is true of Jerusalem. It has been, and still is, holy to Jews, Christians and Mohammedans.

Before long I shall speak of the Mohammedan hero, Saladin. He was a leader in defending Jerusalem, and the rest of Palestine, from the Christians during the Crusades.

For the present, let us only make the note that the Crusades, or Wars of the Cross, were not very successful for the Christians. After the last of them, Jerusalem remained under the power of the Mohammedans.

The great Mosque of Omar may be seen today. The inside is richly worked in marble and colored tiles.

One story which guides tell visitors is about a chain supposed to have hung at one time in the Mosque of Omar. The chain was used as a test of truth. If anyone told a lie while under it, he would make a link of the chain fall off.

That old-fashioned "lie-detector" of legend no longer exists. All the links have fallen, the guides declare.

Another Mohammedan story is about a valley on one side of the city. "On the Day of Judgment," we are told, "Mohammed will sit at one side of the valley, while tests of the faithful are made."

"Across the valley, there will be a bridge as narrow as the blade of a sword. All those who have been true believers in Allah and Mohammed will be able to walk across the valley. The rest will fall, and meet their just punishment."

When the World war started, Palestine was in the hands of Turkey, a Mohammedan nation. In the war, the Turks took the side of Germany and Austria-Hungary, making them enemies of Great Britain and France.

In October, 1917, British troops led by General Allenby won battle after battle in Palestine. They came near Jerusalem, but did not turn their cannon upon it, for fear they might wreck some of the old Christian churches.

By winning power over land around Jerusalem, the British forced it to surrender. The city was captured without a shot being fired into it.

At the close of the war, a plan was worked out for Palestine to become once more the homeland of the Jews. This plan has worked in part. Thousands of Jewish settlers have made their homes in certain parts of Palestine.

Yet there are troubles. Mohammedans in the region want to rule it. Jerusalem today is not Jewish, or Christian or Mohammedan. People of all three religions live in it. For history section of your scrapbook.

The leaflet called "Seven Wonders of the World" may be had by sending a 3c stamped, return envelope to me in care of the Appleton Post-Crescent.

Uncle Ray

Tomorrow: The Esperanto Language.

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## ALL IN A LIFETIME

## Recollections

By BECK



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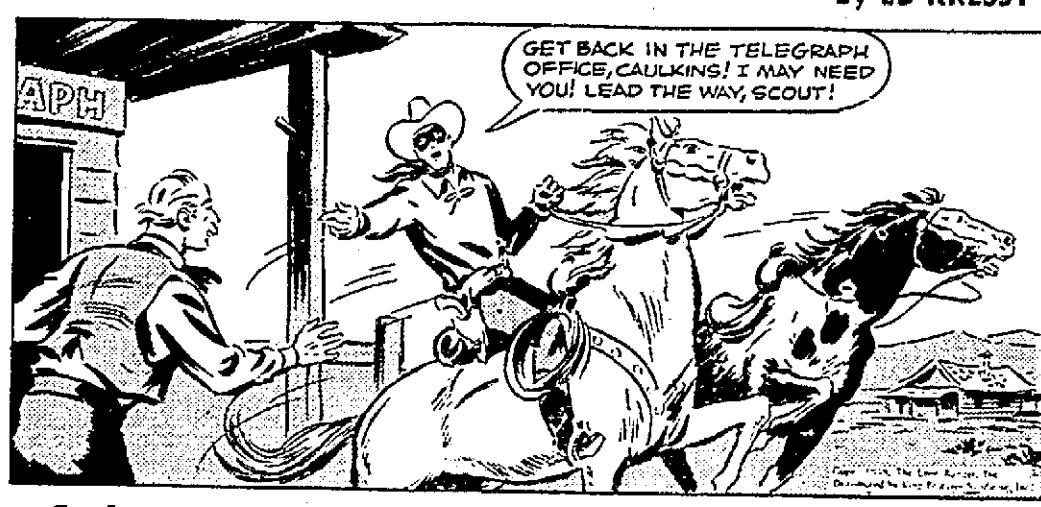
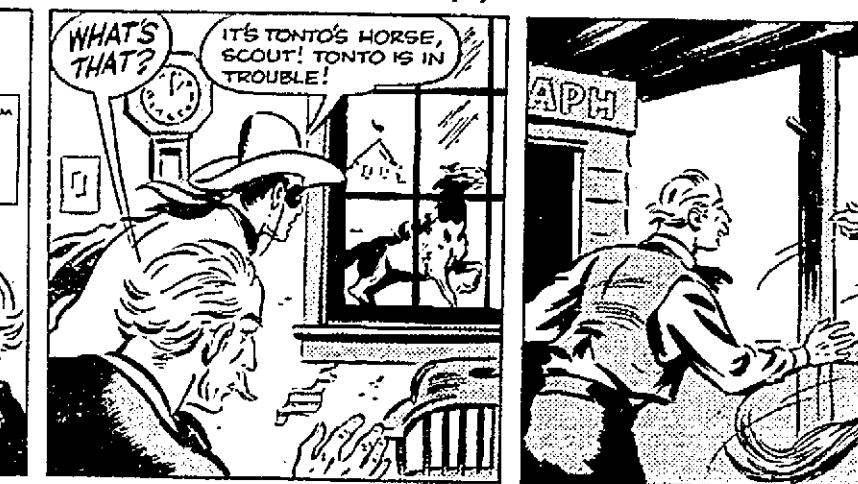
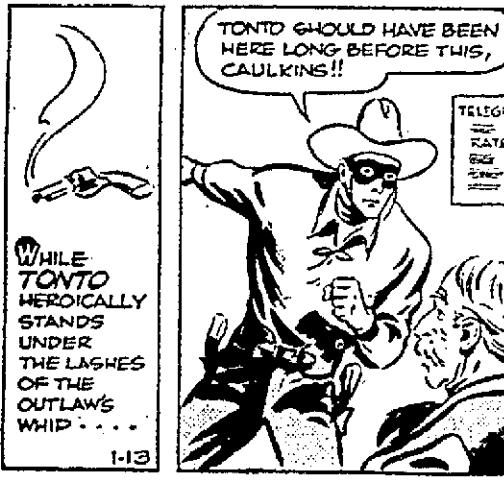
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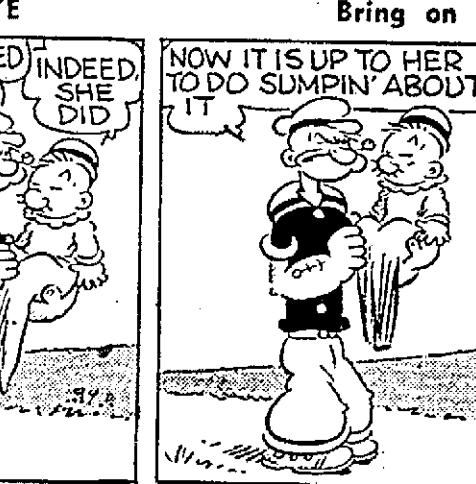
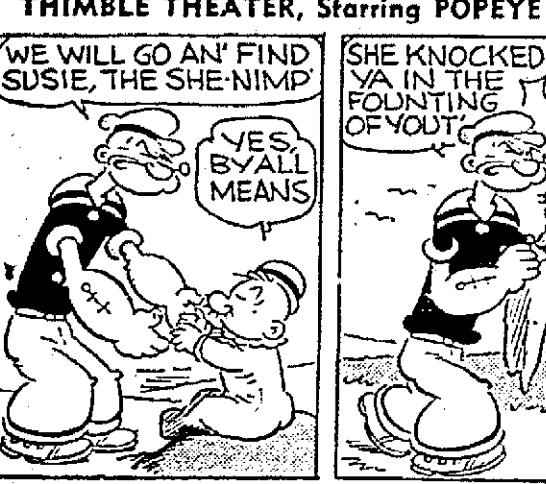
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An Empty Saddle

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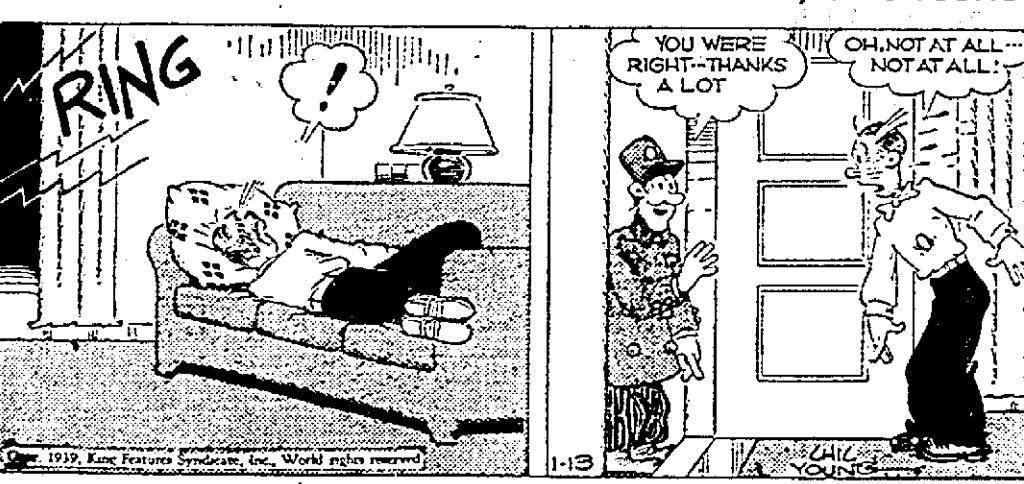
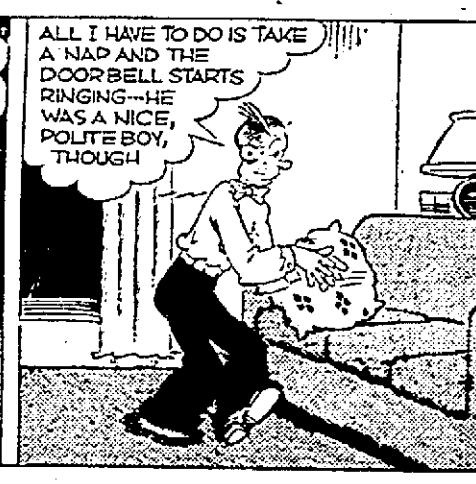


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## BLONDIE



Look Out, Dagwood, He'll Be Back!

By CHIC YOUNG

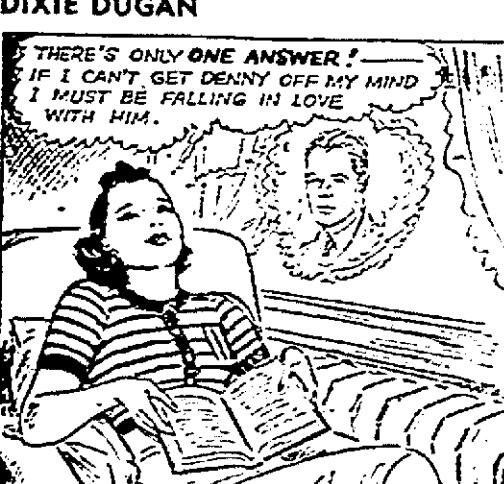
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Big Surprise?

By STREIBEL and McEVY

## DIXIE DUGAN



And I've Got a Big Surprise For You!

Well Meant

By HAM FISHER

## JOE PALOOKA



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BANKRUPTCIES INCREASE  
New York - (6) - The business recession in the past year upped the number of companies being forced to the wall approximately one-third. Dun and Bradstreet data indicates close to 12,700 firms failed in 1938 compared with 9,366 the year before.



## NEW YEAR'S LOVE

by Angela Lorden

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ago and I was going to call you in the morning."

"That will be nice—if you will. There are some things I'd like to discuss with you." She managed it graciously, lightly. She needed all her stage experience to make the encounter seem casual. She gave Elaine a conventional smile as she spoke to her.

The tall golden blonde, her long graceful figure swathed in the rich black velvet, a diamond butterfly in her hair, hesitated a moment, then answered:

"Oh, yes. Miss—Marchand; how pleasant to see you again." She glanced regally at the group. David and Allan greeted each other; Noel presented her escort to Elaine.

Allan flushed slightly at Elaine's cool, easy impersonality. She turned to him and said in a low, warm voice:

"Let's find our hostess, Allan dear," stressing the last word. Allan spoke to Noel:

"We'll be seeing you later." and moved on with Elaine.

When the musicians commenced a dreamy tango, Allan sought out Noel. With David's permission, none too graciously granted, he asked Noel to dance. On the floor, he remarked:

"This is one thing I learned in Buenos Aires."

Noel smiled up at him. "I imagine you do most things well," she answered, making unimportant conversation.

"Flowers In Your Hair"

There are no right words to tell you how lovely you look tonight." Allan's lips were a little way from her ear.

That's what any polite man would be expected to say to an actress, Noel thought. But Allan went on:

"You should always wear white—and flowers in your hair."

Noel responded with low laughter.

"I didn't think you'd be back in town so soon," she commented, changing the subject.

"Well, I hadn't intended it this early."

No, went through Noel's mind, but you wouldn't fail to answer your Elaine's summons. She spoke to him of the Christmas party and Allan repeated how anxious his mother was to have Noel with them.

"I guess I was too stubborn in the beginning; the plan for the strange guests seems less awful as I think it."

David was waiting when the tangos was finished and Noel left the party before they saw Allan again. On the way home in his car, David said with deliberate nonchalance:

"Your friend and Mrs. Schuyler make quite a romantic pair."

Before she thought what she said, Noel replied, "They were engaged once, you know."

David's laugh took on a soft tolerant tone. "Picking up old threads, eh?"

The telephone ringing awakened Noel next morning, as a bright sun crept through the single window of her room. Sleepily she picked up the receiver but roused herself as she heard Allan's voice.

"I'm going back to Claiborne this afternoon. Can we have luncheon first?" he was asking. And Noel agreed to meet him at the St. Regis at once.

This was the nicest of all her meetings with Allan Collins. Noel decided as she sat across from him in the dark-paneled dining-room. He'd seemed quite serious when she met him but whatever had engrossed his thoughts was put into the back of his mind as they talked about themselves. Noel spoke of her background, her early stage years.

"You don't know much about me, you see," Noel exclaimed as he listened to her reminiscence. And told him more of the seasons in stock companies, and farther back to the little town where she'd been born and lived until she was ten.

"Tell me about your work in South America," she asked at length.

So she spoke of the zinc mines, of the little colony of engineers and workmen, miles away from the nearest town.

I'm due for a transfer back to the New York office next year. I suppose I shall miss the exciting activities down there."

"But your mother will be happy," Noel offered. She thought to herself. Elaine will be, too.

Before they realized it was train time and Allan was leaving her in the lobby. "I'll be seeing you soon." He smiled as he said it. "We'll have some great times, I hope. The country is beautiful now and I'll wish for a snow storm before you arrive

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## Surplus Fund of Charities Shows Slight Increase

Margin Is Left After Financing of 152 Christmas Baskets

New London—The people and organizations of New London came through satisfactorily again this year and the Associated Charities reports another small increase in its surplus after financing the distribution of 152 Christmas baskets last month, according to Ormond W. Capener, general chairman.

A cash surplus of \$137.84 remains on hand after an expenditure of \$307.68 in cash towards the 1938 baskets. Collections totaled \$325.75, about \$15 short of the previous year's donations. However, local business and industries contributed, through new toys, food products and materials, a total worth of \$77.45, bringing the actual distribution costs to \$300.13 and receipts to \$303.20. A surplus of \$124.77 remained here from 1937.

Of the total donations of new toys H. B. Cristy supplied \$31.47 worth, the Borden Milk Products company gave \$16.50 worth of milk, Hamilton and Sons Canning company contributed sauerkraut and fiber boxes valued at \$16.88. Irma's Hat shop gave \$10 worth of clothing, Lippold and Queenan offered discounts of \$1.59, and Kellner's Variety store discounts of \$1.08.

Of the total cash disbursements \$54.84 went for clothing articles and more new toys, \$250.34 for food and candy, \$2.50 for stenographer's service.

**Will Report Monday**  
The complete report and an explanation of the figures will be given by Chairman Capener at a meeting of the executive committee and committee chairmen at Washington High school at 7:15 Monday evening.

Cash contributions not previously listed are as follows: Hatten Lumber company \$25, Catholic societies, including Knights of Columbus, Senior sodality, Men and Women Foresters and Women's Study club, \$20; Masonic lodges \$10; Congregational Ladies Aid and the American Legion \$5 each; New London Women's Study club and Veterans of Foreign Wars, \$2 each; Odd Fellows, Central Labor Council, United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners, New London Bottling works, each \$5; Rebekah Lodge \$250; Royal Neighbors \$5; Knapstein Brewing company \$5; LaMarche and Missing, New London Construction company, and Quality Market, \$2 each.

Contributing \$1 or less were R. C. Dauterman, Fehrnman, Kircher, Franklin House, Ike Poepke, A. A. Trambauer, Don Barlow, Percy Halverson, L. J. Manske, Myers and Restie, New London Printing company, Jessie G. Newman, Dr. C. E. Ostermeier, Fribow Electric company, Sandy Cousins, C. M. Trickey, John Worn, Chan Runnels, Floyd Granger, C. A. Rogers, N. J. Ortlieb, A. J. Erico, Lee Meske, Fred Mengert, New London Farmers Exchange, New London Ice and Fuel company, Standard Machine shop, Henry Reier, Shirley Beauty shop, M. Block, Freiburgers Barber shop, Krogers Grocery, Wisconsin Telephone company operators.

**Births Top Deaths During Last Year**

Number of Marriages at New London Reaches New High

New London—Births in New London continued to gain over deaths during 1938 and increased almost one-third over the death rate for the year with 242 new born babies and 90 deaths compared to 227 babies and 117 deaths in 1937, according to the annual report of Dr. F. J. Pfister, city health officer.

Local births showed an increase of nine with 128 and non-resident births at New London hospitals increased six to 114.

Marriages numbered the most in recent years with 67 taking place. There were only 43 in 1937 and 55 in 1936.

The number of cases of communicable diseases in the city during the year increased from 116 to 177, an epidemic of measles accounting for 116 cases along last year. There were 30 cases of scarlet fever, 26 chicken pox, 4 tuberculosis and one whooping cough. Chicken pox led during 1937 with 38 cases when there were only six of measles.

Unusual accidents against accounted for eight of 1938 deaths. Principal cause was arteriosclerosis and cerebral apoplexy which resulted in 15, and heart trouble accounting for 14. Eleven died of pneumonia and there were 11 stillborn cases. There were no deaths due to cancer as in former years.

**Instructors to Hold Sectional Conference**

New London—A sectional conference of vocational home economics and agriculture instructors will be held at Washington High school Saturday, Jan. 28, under the auspices of the state board of vocational education, according to L. M. Warner, New London instructor. A similar meeting was held here last year but the home economics instructors were not included. About 65 teachers are expected to attend. Other meetings of the kind in the state will be held at Eau Claire, Lake Mills, Boscobel and Baraboo.

**Pastoral Conference To Hold 2-Day Session**

New London—A quarterly meeting of the Fox Valley Pastoral conference will be held at the Emanuel Lutheran church here next Tuesday and Wednesday, Jan. 17 and 18, according to the Rev. W. E. Pankow, pastor. About 30 ministers from churches in the Fox river valley are expected to attend. Various papers will be given and discussed. A special service for the occasion will be held at 7:30 Tuesday evening.

**Karl Michaelis Named Vocational Club Head**

New London—The Boys Vocational Club under Bob Ullrich elected new officers at a meeting Wednesday. Karl Michaelis is the new president. Gerald Scheenbeck, secretary-treasurer, and Peter and Harold Huntley and Keith Grace are on the grievance committee. The boys plan to elect new officers each month. They are working on handicraft articles at the Lincoln school recreation room.

**New London Personals**

New London—A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Francis Davidson of this city at Community hospital Wednesday night.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. James Allen, Route 3, New London, on Community Hospital Wednesday night.

### Veteran Ice Skater Challenges Anyone In 65 to 70 Bracket

New London—Otto Kloepfle, Menasha's 67-year-old skating ace, in a letter Wednesday to Bob Ullrich, promoter of the local W. P. A. skating meet scheduled here Jan. 21, challenged any New Londoner between 65 to 70 years of age to a half mile race as a feature of the tournament. Kloepfle is the fellow who last year raced Tony Miller, 65, of Hortonville, before a crowd of 3,000 at Kaukauna. In his challenge he said he placed second at the national meet at Oconomowoc last year against a former world's champion seven years younger than himself. Ullrich will arrange a contest with anyone who cares to take up the challenge.

Thursday, Jan. 19, has been set as the deadline for entries in the New London skating meet and names and age divisions must be mailed or telephoned to Ullrich by that date. The usual ribbon awards will be made and the first three place winners in each event will be qualified to enter the county meet here the following week.

### Smith, Buelow are High Scorers in Refreshment Loop

Help Log Taverns Take Two Games From Verifine Keglers

Refreshment League Standings: W. L.

Miller High Lifes 5 1

Verifine Dairy 3 3

Orange Kists 2 4

Log Taverns 2 4

New London—Erv Smith and Fritz Buelow vied for honors in the Refreshment league at Prahl's all-ways last night when the former cracked a 549 series and 213 game and the latter 548 and 204 for the Log Taverns. The team took two from the Verifines paced by W. Cupp hitting 537.

Carl Ebbert's 209 and 512 marks led the Miller High Lifes in two victories over the Orange Kists. A final 204 game gave Ken Bleck top of 510 for the losers.

Borden League Standings: W. L.

Ostrander 31 11

Lebanon 26 13

Borden 23 19

Royalton 20 22

Bear Creek 18 24

Maple Creek 18 24

Black Creek 17 25

Horton 12 27

Bear Creek took a 3-game trimming from Ostrander and slipped back a peg last night while Royalton held their own with two wins over Hortonia. George Flease of Ostrander polished the pins for high marks of 184 and 459.

**Births Top Deaths During Last Year**

Number of Marriages at New London Reaches New High

New London—Births in New London continued to gain over deaths during 1938 and increased almost one-third over the death rate for the year with 242 new born babies and 90 deaths compared to 227 babies and 117 deaths in 1937, according to the annual report of Dr. F. J. Pfister, city health officer.

Local births showed an increase of nine with 128 and non-resident births at New London hospitals increased six to 114.

Marriages numbered the most in recent years with 67 taking place. There were only 43 in 1937 and 55 in 1936.

The number of cases of communicable diseases in the city during the year increased from 116 to 177, an epidemic of measles accounting for 116 cases along last year. There were 30 cases of scarlet fever, 26 chicken pox, 4 tuberculosis and one whooping cough. Chicken pox led during 1937 with 38 cases when there were only six of measles.

Unusual accidents against accounted for eight of 1938 deaths. Principal cause was arteriosclerosis and cerebral apoplexy which resulted in 15, and heart trouble accounting for 14. Eleven died of pneumonia and there were 11 stillborn cases. There were no deaths due to cancer as in former years.

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**Pastoral Conference To Hold 2-Day Session**

New London—A quarterly meeting of the Fox Valley Pastoral conference will be held at the Emanuel Lutheran church here next Tuesday and Wednesday, Jan. 17 and 18, according to the Rev. W. E. Pankow, pastor. About 30 ministers from churches in the Fox river valley are expected to attend. Various papers will be given and discussed. A special service for the occasion will be held at 7:30 Tuesday evening.

**Karl Michaelis Named Vocational Club Head**

New London—The Boys Vocational Club under Bob Ullrich elected new officers at a meeting Wednesday. Karl Michaelis is the new president. Gerald Scheenbeck, secretary-treasurer, and Peter and Harold Huntley and Keith Grace are on the grievance committee. The boys plan to elect new officers each month. They are working on handicraft articles at the Lincoln school recreation room.

**New London Personals**

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## 100 Women at Anniversary Program of Dorcas, Mission Groups at Methodist Church

New London—More than 100 women attended the eighty-third anniversary program by the Dorcas society and Women's Home Missionary society at the Methodist church yesterday afternoon. A program by the Sunday school department at 7:30 last evening concluded the week's anniversary observance.

Entertainment consisted of selections by a section of the high school girls glee club under Miss Mary K. Donohue.

The promotional exercises of primary students to the junior department featured the evening program last night. Mrs. F. C. Andrews directed the exercises and Bibles were presented to each graduated pupil by Mrs. James Cottrill. The program consisted of readings, recitations, vocal and instrumental solos and duets by members of all the Sunday school classes and instructors. Mrs. Earl Linberg opened the program with a prelude and the Rev. R. R. Holliday concluded with benediction.

**Take Part in Program.**

Appearing on the program were Sharon Rogers, Carl Schoenrock, Jr., Ruth Mary Helm, June Webb, Wayne Tolzman, Elsie Standke, Beverly Meating, Mary Jane Constant and Robert Hammerberg with recitations; Katherine Thorn, Robert Linberg, Joyce Oestreich, Lois Linberg, Jacqueline Christian and Lloyd Nichols with vocal solos; Stanley Cottrill, Helen Thorn and Evelyn Schoenrock with readings.

Adeline Miller played a clarinet solo, Audrey Dean a cornet solo, Charley Popke a violin solo and Miss Marie Hanke a piano solo. Vo-

cal duets were given by Barbara Wells and Shirley Maxted, Valoise and Marjorie Miller and Marie Hanke and Ben Andrews. Ramona Webb and Yvonne Johnson played a piano duet.

There were songs by the primary department and others by the Junoir girls consisting of Jean Christensen, Maxine Maxted, Jean Gradel, Lorraine Jeffers and Jean Graebel.

anniversary at a supper with their children at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Popke at New London Wednesday evening. Age 76 and 72, respectively, they were married by the Rev. Father Schultz at New London on Jan. 11, 1886, and have spent their lives since in the town of Horton.

They have eight children and 13 grand children. The sons are Edward McDermott, North Fond du Lac; George, Richard and Raymond at home. The daughters are Mrs. L. Lac, Mrs. Fred Dahms, Maple Creek, and Mrs. Harold Douglas, Weyauwega.

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The coldest weather of winter is still ahead—the icy, freezing days of the latter part of January and February and March. You will need heavy, lined gloves to keep your hands comfortably warm and it's your good fortune that you can buy them now at a grand bargain. There are substantial reductions on the most popular types of lined gloves for winter wear.

### CAPESKIN GLOVES, WOOL LINED

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In plain and fancy slip-on style. Also strap wrists and fur trim. In black and brown. Sizes 6 to 8. These gloves have been priced at \$3.50 and \$3.98. Now special at \$2.29 a pair.

### FUR LINED GLOVES

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Marvelous comfort in these fur lined gloves which come only in plain slip-on style in black and brown. Reduced from their regular price of \$3.98 to \$2.29.

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Women's wool knit gloves with fancy backs embroidered in colors. In brown, red and black. Small, medium and large sizes. \$1.59 value at \$1.19 a pair.

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Every important material and color. Daytime—sport, and evening styles. All sizes but not in each style.

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